

THE WEATHER  
Fair tonight and Tues-  
day; warmer Tues-  
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## ASSASSINS SLAY KING CARLOS AND THE CROWN PRINCE OF PORTUGAL IN THE STREETS

### PRINCE MANUEL IS PROCLAIMED KING

YOUNGER SON SUCCEEDS BY OR-  
DER OF COUNCIL

### AN UPHEAVAL IS POSSIBLE

Drastic Rule of Dictatorial Prime  
Minister Franco and Extrava-  
gance of King the Cause

LISBON, Portugal, Feb. 3.—King Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz Philippe were shot to death Saturday by political assassins. Prince Manuel, the younger son, was slightly wound-  
ed. The queen, although exposed to the fire, escaped.

Sunday the council of state issued a proclamation declaring Prince Manuel king of Portugal, in suc-  
cession to King Carlos. This will be fatal to the hopes of the revolu-

ture that the present ministers shall remain in office.

It is reported that the British At-  
lantic fleet, now at Vigo, has been  
ordered to Lisbon to watch events.

LISBON, Feb. 3.—Portugal's new  
king, Manuel II., is already settled  
on the throne. Saturday's assassina-  
tion failed to hurl the reigning dy-  
nasty from power, but strengthened  
it instead. Stricken by horror the  
long warring factions promise to  
be harmonized under Manuel's  
rule.

The New Cabinet.  
A new cabinet was formed today  
as follows: Admiral Ferreira do Am-  
ar, premier; Bathias Nunes, minis-  
ter of the marine; Teira do Sousa,  
minister of finance; Semhor Rorlau,  
minister of the interior; wenceslau  
Do Lima, minister of foreign affairs;  
Jose V. Alpiom, minister of justice;  
Jose Azavedo, minister of public  
works.

Manuel held his initial session of  
the cabinet today.  
"I am without experience in the  
science of politics," he said appeal-  
ingly. "I place myself entirely in  
your hands, needing and believing in  
your patriotism and wisdom."

The police will only say that re-  
publicans are at the bottom of the  
plot against the royal family. Many  
leaders are in prison and secret  
agents are searching for others.

Bombs and Republicans  
While secrecy is being maintained,  
it is learned that the officials dis-  
covered a store of bombs, republic-  
an documents and arms. Among the  
persons arrested last night with  
arms, had proved to be republicans  
while the other half were of the  
party known as regenerators.

Several of those arrested are  
among the prominent citizens of Lis-  
bon.

High Personages Involved  
According to official statements  
the Portuguese government pos-



Don Carlos I, the Murderer Portu-  
guese King

tionists, for it means no change in  
policy during the minority of the  
new king. France's iron hand will  
continue to dictate the government.

LISBON, Portugal, Feb. 3.—King  
Manuel's proclamation, signed by  
himself as Dom Manuel II., and  
countersigned by all the ministers,  
was read from the balcony, but be-  
yond this there was no public cere-  
mony. The proclamation follows:

An abominable crime has stricken  
me in my heart as a son and brother.



Luiz Phillippe, Crown Prince, Who  
Was Slain

I know the nation shares my sor-  
row and indignation and detests the  
horrible act which is unprecedented  
in history.

I am called upon by the constitu-  
tion to preside over the destinies of  
the nation and, conformable ther-  
ewith, I shall do my utmost to pro-  
mote the good of the fatherland and  
merit the affection of the Portu-  
guese people.

I swear to maintain the Catholic  
religion and the integrity of the  
kingdom and to observe myself and  
enforce observance by all of the na-  
tion's political constitution.  
I also declare that it is my pleas-



Amelie, Queen of Portugal, Who  
Escaped

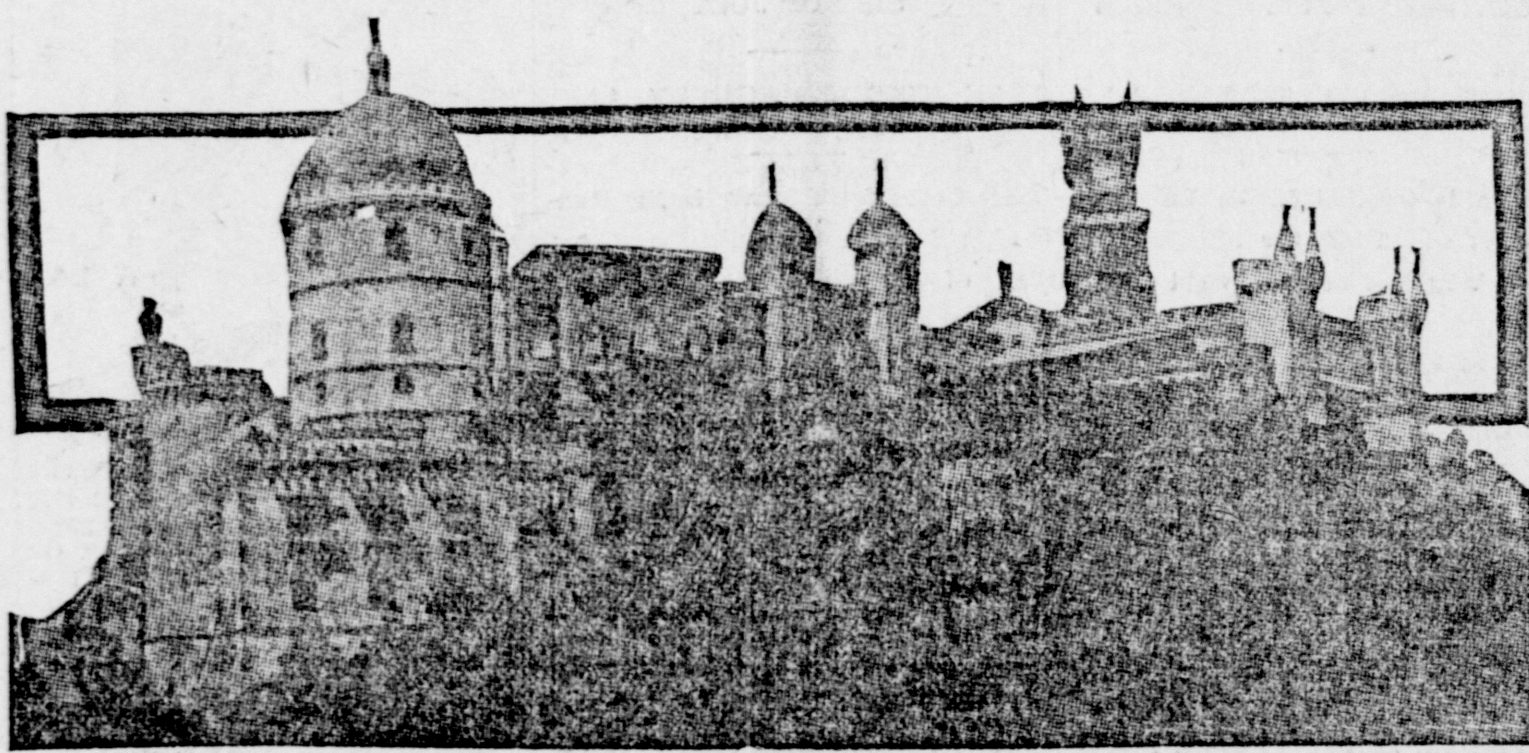
sesses complete proof that the as-  
sassinations were executed with  
money provided by high personages  
of the republican party. It is stat-  
ed that a former minister, a mem-  
ber of the regenerator party, is im-  
plicated in the affair, but escaped to  
the country. Upward of thirty men  
are said to have been engaged in the  
tragedy. They were scattered along  
the king's route. The group station-  
ed in the Praça de Commercio com-  
prised a dozen men. It was this  
group that encompassed the assas-  
sinations.

One Murderer Identified.  
So guarded are the authorities  
about letting information concern-  
ing the tragedy escape, that even  
the names of any of the three men  
who were shot down by the troops  
immediately after the killing of the  
king were not given to the public for  
some time. Late last night the gov-  
ernment announced that one of the  
assassins had been identified as Manuel  
Bulca, a sergeant in the Sev-  
enth cavalry, and instructor in an  
elementary school. He was about 30  
years old and was for several years  
a private tutor.

Revolt at Oporto  
A dispatch today from Oporto to  
the frontier, declares that the Sun-  
day story that a republic had been  
proclaimed there is false, but that  
there is talk that this step may be  
taken. Following revolutionary gos-  
sip a battalion of infantry revolted  
yesterday, the men declaring they  
would no longer serve under a mon-  
archy. Troops loyal to the govern-  
ment immediately arrested the en-  
tire battalion, there being no resist-  
ance.

Spanish Ships Sail  
A Madrid dispatch states that the  
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## The Royal Castle of Portugal, at Lisbon



### BIG DELEGATION REACHES THE CITY

GERMAN METHODIST CONVEN-  
TION OPENS THIS EVENING

### LADIES TO ENTERTAINMENT

Rev. Zembe of Iowa Preaches the  
Opening Sermon of Series This  
Evening

The delegates to the German Sun-  
day school and Epworth league con-  
vention have arrived here in full  
numbers.

The ladies of the First German  
Methodist church have been busy  
all day in preparing a supper for  
all comers in the church parlors.  
Supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

The evening service will begin at  
8 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Zembe from  
Sherrill, Ia., will preach. Tuesday  
morning at 9 o'clock the convention  
will open at the First German M. E.  
church where all sessions will be  
held.

The first topic in the morning will  
be: "What Shall the Chief Aim  
of this Convention?" Mr. Carl  
Schramm and Rev. A. Turner.

Afternoon topic: "Can the Sun-  
day School Be Made Interesting for  
Adults? How Can It Be Done?" H.  
Hallauer, Rev. G. Haefner.

Second topic: "The indebtedness  
of the Sunday School Teacher to His  
Class, and Why?" Emma Jahraus,  
Rev. F. W. Schofu.

Evening session—Rev. W. C.  
Bergmann, Freeport, Ill.

The Delegates  
Basswood and Richland—Rev. A.  
C. Panzlau, Hulda Rabe, Emma Ra-  
kowski, Carl Schramm, Geo. Schnei-  
der.

Colesburg, Iowa—Rev. L. J. Bren-  
ner, Mrs. L. J. Brenner, B. B. Hols-  
cher, Meta Bergmann, Estella Brok-  
meyer, Anna Holscher, John Brock-

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### MADISON STUDENTS RAISE \$3,000 FOR ATHLETIC SPORTS

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 3.—(Spe-  
cial.)—In order that spring athletics,  
base ball, track and crew, may be  
continued this year it was necessary  
that \$3,000 be raised to defray the  
probable expenses. The varsity ath-  
letic board therefore inaugurated a  
sale of season tickets for all the local  
athletic events at \$3 each about two  
weeks ago. The thousand mark was  
reached at 10 o'clock today and the  
sale stopped. Of this \$1,000 will go  
to the crew and the rest to baseball  
and track events.

### MRS. INGEBOR BERGH SUCCUMBS TODAY

Mrs. Ingebor Bergh, wife of Gil-  
bert Bergh, 508 North Sixth street,  
died this morning at her home after  
an illness of three weeks with com-  
plications of disease.

Deceased was 63 years old and was  
born in Norway. She is survived by  
a husband, two sons and three daugh-  
ters.

Funeral arrangements have not  
been completed pending the arrival  
of relatives. Fessler & Dahl have  
charge.

### DEATH TAKES ILL VET AND CANDIDATE

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 3.—Col. T.  
G. Lawler, National Commander of  
the G. A. R. in 1894-5, prospective  
candidate for governor of Illinois and  
postmaster at Rockford for twenty-  
five years, died early today. He was  
known to veterans throughout the  
United States, as he never failed to  
attend a national encampment. He  
was treasurer of the National Asso-  
ciation of Postmasters.

### FROM ROSE BUDS TO SNOW STORMS

H. C. WHITTIER TELLS OF VAR-  
IED CLIMATES

### TRAIN STALLED IN DAKOTA

New Advertising Manager of Doer-  
flinger's Glad to Get Back  
to La Crosse

Harry C. Whittier, who succeeds  
George B. Frederick as advertising  
manager of Doerflinger's, has ar-  
rived in the city after an eventful  
trip from Portland, Ore., where he  
has spent most of the five years since  
leaving La Crosse.

"I left roses in bloom, green  
lawns, flower studded boulevards  
and the like in Portland," said Mr.  
Whittier, "and in a few hours we  
were speeding through snow storms  
in the mountains."

"The variance in the climate of  
the east and the west reveals the lines  
from Kipling:

"Oh, east is east, and west is west,  
And never the twain shall meet,  
Till earth and sky stand presently,  
At God's great judgment seat."

"We stuck in a snow storm at  
Fargo and it required three monster  
engines to pull us out. I was four  
days and four nights on the road  
from the coast and we arrived 12  
hours late in Fargo."

"Business is had along the coast.  
We had four bank failures in Port-  
land in the past year and nearly ev-  
eryone was hit more or less. The  
merchants and business men are re-  
treaching and business conditions I  
consider very bad. There are thou-  
sands of idle men and the proposition  
of caring for this vast army of un-  
employed is a serious one. I think  
this condition is worse in Seattle  
than in Portland, but it is felt along  
the entire coast. The extreme east  
and the extreme west suffered more  
from the financial stringency than  
the middle west."

Glad to be Back  
"I am glad to get back to La  
Crosse and see so many old friends.  
I have had a royal welcome and it  
makes me feel mighty good."

"The new hotel impressed me  
most. I was one of the prime movers  
in the agitation to secure this hotel  
for La Crosse and in the com-  
petition over a name for it, but I  
left La Crosse about that time. I  
think I can honestly say it is the  
equal if not the superior of any hotel  
in Seattle or Portland."

"The new Park store also impress-  
ed me greatly. I was surprised at the  
completeness and modernness. It  
is one of the most complete and  
modern department stores in the  
west or middle west and is an institu-  
tion I know La Crosse is proud of."

Mr. Whittier told of the many La  
Crosse people along the coast.

"They are in about all of the  
coast cities, but I think we had more  
in Portland than anywhere else. It  
was nothing to be walking along the  
street and nod to a La Crosse friend.  
There were about sixty old La Crosse  
residents out there," he continued,  
"and we used to get together for a  
little jollification once in a while."

"At one time last summer I had  
14 ex-Park store clerks employed at  
the Olds, Wortman & King store at  
Portland. F. M. Hamburg and  
Charlie Geisenheimer are among the  
La Crosse people out there."

Mr. Whittier assumes charge of  
the advertising department of the  
Park store at once.

### MUST PAY BOYCOTT DAMAGE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—By far  
the most serious blow that has been  
delivered by the United States sup-  
reme court to organized labor was  
given today when that tribunal an-  
nounced a decision that labor organi-  
zations are liable for damage for boy-  
cotts brought against manufacturers  
engaged in interstate commerce.

### PROPOSE TO PAY RECRUITS BETTER

CONGRESS CONSIDERING IN-  
DUCEMENTS

### HAS BEEN UNPOPULAR BODY

But If Legislation Now Pending Goes  
Through More Men Will Seek  
Places in the Ranks

Washington Bureau of  
The La Crosse Tribune.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3, 1908.  
(By J. C. Welliver.)

Our unpopular army is likely to be  
a good deal more attractive to people  
with a disposition for military ser-  
vice, if the bill to increase army pay,  
which has just been favorably re-  
ported by the senate committee,  
passes as everything indicates it will.  
The bill aims to make the army  
service pay enough to enable offi-  
cers and men to live on their salaries  
without sacrificing their social  
position and self-respect.

The increases provided ranges, for  
officers, from 5 per cent to the lieut-  
enant general up to 25 per cent for  
second lieutenants and cadets at  
West Point, with a maximum for en-  
listed men of 40 per cent. The real  
trouble with the army has been to  
get men to enlist in the ranks, and  
to keep young men in it who have  
just received commissions, and are  
compelled to serve for many years in  
the lower grades at small pay. Matrimony  
is the real trouble with the  
army. It causes too many men to  
wish for more money than the gov-  
ernment pays. Good times is the  
second most serious difficulty. They  
make the higher pay of civil life look  
too attractive.

The committee report discusses  
the fact that not in many years has  
there been an increase in the sched-  
ules of pay of the army, while the  
cost of living has moved steadily up-  
ward. This, together with the great  
difficulty and expense of inducing  
men to enlist, has convinced the au-  
thorities of the necessity of the in-  
creases proposed.

### OLD-TIME G. O. P. MEN BEAT BRYAN TO HIS POLICIES?

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Heading  
off a possible larceny of republican  
campaign material Townsend, of  
Michigan, spokesman in the house  
on railroad rate matters, today  
startled democratic and pleased re-  
publican brethren by arguing from  
facts and history that Bryan is not  
the father of the anti-trust legisla-  
tion and railroad regulation, and  
that therefore Roosevelt has not pur-  
loined the Nebraska's policies. Ev-  
ery little while I hear some democrat  
say the rate bill and anti-trust law  
and the enforcement of them are of  
democratic origin, that the republic-  
ans have stolen democratic thun-  
der. I make a claim hostile to this,  
and shall dispute that either is dem-  
ocratic. Townsend then went over  
the legislative history of the nation  
to show that such republicans as  
Sumner, Garfield, Grant and Sher-  
man were the real pioneers of rail-  
road rate regulation.

### EAU CLAIRE PLAYED A TRUMP CARD

It is now almost certain that Eau  
Claire will win out and that Rock-  
ford will have to await chances to  
be admitted into the Wisconsin-Illi-  
nois league.

President John A. Elliot of the La  
Crosse club said this morning:  
"President Charles F. Moll and Vice  
President V. P. Larry visited the  
Eau Claire officers Friday and Sat-  
urday and Judge O'Neill's term of  
court does not open until March  
15th, which will be too late for any  
further action being taken."

## SHAW SUCCEEDS LIVERMORE IN SUPERINTENDENCY OF LOCAL STREET RAILWAY COMPANY

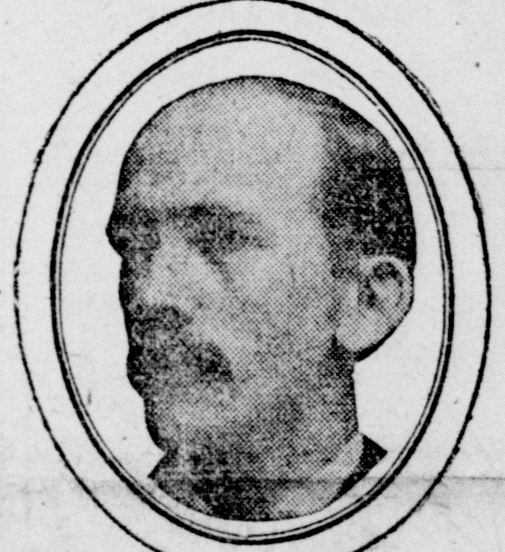
### LEWIS STANDS IN MITCHELL'S SHOES

OHIO MAN ELECTED PRESIDENT  
OF MINE WORKERS

### WILSON CONGRATULATES HIM

Defeated Aspirant From Pennsylv-  
vania Appears on Stage in  
Graceful Compliment

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 3.—  
Thomas L. Lewis, of Ohio, has been  
elected President of the United Mine  
Workers to succeed John Mitchell.  
The announcement of the vote was  
made by tellers at the national con-



THOMAS L. LEWIS  
Buckeye Man Who Heads United  
Mine Workers

vention today amid cheers. Wm. B.  
Wilson, of Pennsylvania, the only  
candidate opposing, was cheered to  
the echo as he congratulated Lewis  
on the stage. John P. White is the  
new vice president. W. D. Ryan, of  
Illinois, the new secretary and treas-  
urer, and John M. Mossop, of North  
Lawrence, O., Harry Baker, of Cen-  
treville, Ia., and Pat Fitzsimmons of  
Olyphant, Pa., are the members of  
the new auditing committee.

Mitchell Lewis, Wilson and Ryan  
were elected delegates to the Ameri-  
can Federation of Labor. There are



W. B. WILSON  
Pennsylvania Who Was Defeated by  
Lewis

seven in all. The other three are  
John Walker, of Illinois, G. W. Sav-  
age, of Ohio, and J. T. Dempsey of  
Pennsylvania. Alexander Mowat, of  
Kansas and D. Sullivan, of Ohio,  
were elected delegates to the inter-  
national mining congress which  
meets next in Berlin.

### OPERA CHAIRS FOR THE AUDITORIUM?

Mayor Anderson is still receiving  
applications for furnishing the opera  
chairs for the late lamented audi-  
torium, and in the following copy of a  
reply to one of them, found on his  
desk, there is evidence that the sad-  
ness of the situation has not robbed  
the executive of his sense of humor:  
"La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 3, 1908.  
Superior Manufacturing Co.,  
Muskegon, Mich.  
"Dear Sirs:  
"Replying to the above, as an in-  
junction prevents proposed construc-  
tion of an auditorium here, I think  
two chairs will be sufficient; suitable  
for two gentlemen to go way back  
and sit down," and to be paid for by  
popular subscription.  
"Yours respectfully,  
"(Sgd) WENDELL A. ANDERSON,  
"Mayor."

### MADISON MAN TO RUN LA X SYSTEM

LIVERMORE'S RESIGNATION IS  
ANNOUNCED IN MADISON

### SHAW IS EXPERT CAR MAN

Built Up Madison System During  
Eighteen Years of Service in  
That City

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 3.—(Spe-  
cial.)—The State Journal today says:  
"George H. Shaw, for eighteen  
years superintendent of the Madison  
Street Railway company, and to  
whom is given credit for building it  
up from a poor little piece of horse  
car track to its present high state of  
perfection and service, has accepted  
the superintendency of the La Crosse  
City Railway company, at La Crosse,  
succeeding Superintendent S. P. Liv-  
ermore."

"Shaw became superintendent of the  
Madison company Oct. 9, 1889. He  
came here from Chicago.  
"The road continued under his  
management until June, 1892, at  
which time the horse railway was  
abandoned, and the electric system  
installed.

"During all the changes made in  
the holding of the company in the  
next few years, Mr. Shaw was re-  
tained as superintendent until he re-  
signed about a year ago, after the local  
company had passed into the  
hands of E. Warren Montgomery.  
Shortly after he had severed his con-  
nection with the street car company  
he was appointed deputy United  
States marshal of the western dis-  
trict. He will resign on March 1, to  
accept the new position in La Crosse.

"Mr. Shaw is about 45 years of age  
and has a wife and two daughters,  
Misses Emma and Aldyth Shaw. They  
have been prominent in society here."

Superintendent Livermore is out  
of the city today and could not be  
seen in regard to the report.

Mr. B. E. Edwards, president of  
the Street Railway company admit-  
ted the change was to be made, but  
declined to discuss the matter.

### LAST TRIBUTE TO LEMUEL W. GOSNELL

The last tributes were paid yester-  
day afternoon to the late Lemuel  
W. Gosnell, at the residence, 505  
North Ninth street. Rev. D. H. Rob-  
nabough of the Westminster Presby-  
terian church, conducted the services,  
assisted by George Dalton, grand  
commander of the Masonic lodge.

The services were held at the resi-  
dence at 2:30 o'clock and accompa-  
nying the body to the cemetery were  
members of the following organiza-  
tions of which he was a prominent  
member: The Masonic lodge, the  
Independent Order of Redmen, the  
Knights of Pythias and delegates  
from the La Crosse Bar association.

A large number of city officials  
also attended in a body to pay re-  
spects to their former fellow.

Interment was held at the Oak  
Grove cemetery. The pall bearers  
were the following: Messrs. J. B.  
Turnbull, O. Oehler, C. H. McInis,  
Ed Miller and W. C. Riek.

### EXPLAINS CHARGES OF COUNTY GRAFT

The libel suit of ex-Sheriff Peter  
J. Sime of Prairie du Chien vs. Wal-  
lace Maertner and Herbert A. Beach  
of Crawford County Press, was con-  
tinued before Judge Fruit at the cir-  
cuit court this morning.

Graves and Earl and Charles H.  
Schweizer represented the ex-sheriff  
and Alexander Atley and L. H. Ban-  
croft represented the Press.

The morning session was occupied  
by the plaintiff on the stand, who ac-  
cused the newspaper of stuffing or  
padding the news.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Coldest, 6; warmest, 22; wind, 4  
miles; snowfall, none.

Devils Lake with 14 below, and  
Phoenix with 60 above were the ex-  
tremes of temperature yesterday.

Forecasts today:  
Wisconsin—Fair tonight and  
probably Tuesday, not much change  
in temperature.

Minnesota—Fair tonight with  
warmer in west portion; Tuesday in-  
creasing cloudiness and warmer.

Iowa—Fair tonight with warmer  
in west portion; Tuesday increasing  
cloudiness and warmer.



## CATARRH BLOOD UNHEALTHY SYSTEM DERANGED

The entire inner portion of the body is covered with mucous membrane; this membranous tissue is abundantly supplied with blood vessels, veins, arteries, and capillaries. Each of these is constantly supplying to this tissue or lining, blood to nourish and strengthen it and keep the system healthy. When the blood becomes infected with catarrh matter it is not able to furnish the required amount of healthful properties, but feeds the parts with impurities which disease the membranes and tissues so that they become irritated and inflamed, and Catarrh, with all its disagreeable and dangerous symptoms, is established in the system. There is a constant ringing in the ears, a thin, watery discharge from the nostrils, the breath has an offensive odor, slight fever often accompanies the disease, and gradually the entire health becomes affected and the system upset and deranged. In its earlier stages, when Catarrh is confined to the nose and throat, sprays, washes, inhalations, etc., are soothing and in a way beneficial, because they are cleanly and usually antiseptic, but such treatment has no curative effect, because it does not reach the blood. To cure Catarrh the blood must be purified, and this is just what S. S. S. does. It goes down into the circulation and attacks the disease at its foundation; it removes the cause and makes the blood pure and healthy. Then the blood vessels are filled with fresh, reinvigorated blood, which is carried to all the mucous surfaces and linings, the inflammation and irritation are corrected, the symptoms all disappear, the health is improved and Catarrh is permanently cured. Book on Catarrh and any medical advice free to all who write.

**S.S.S.**  
PURELY VEGETABLE

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

## THE SPORT WORLD

### EAU CLAIRE STANDS WELL IN BATTLE

LEAGUE DIRECTORS BELIEVE  
NORTHERN CITY VICTORIOUS

### INJUNCTION TO BE TAKEN UP

Opinion is General Moll's Effort to  
Oust Old Team for Rockford  
Will Not be Successful

Although this week will see the first battle in the legal war to oust Eau Claire from the Wisconsin-Illinois baseball league, and its outcome may decide the conflict, there is little doubt in the minds of the league managers and officials that Eau Claire won the fight last Sunday when it served an injunction on the league, practically tying up affairs until March 31, a date too late for consideration of new teams.

**Eau Claire to Make Up Deficit**  
Sympathy, as well as logic, seems to be with the northern city. While baseball has not been an entire success in Eau Claire during the three years of the league's existence, there has been behind the movement there a bunch of hustlers who deserve some recognition, in the minds of club managers and stockholders.

Considered from the view of justice it is pointed out that it would be grossly unfair to oust Eau Claire, since promoters of the game in that city have solicited sufficient stock to guarantee success, and have guaranteed the league to make up in good hard money any deficit in attendance. Eau Claire recently went to considerable expense on a park, and an enlarged grand stand, and attorneys hired by that club claim that to dissolve the injunction would be nothing less than confiscatory.

Most of the opposition to Eau Claire in other towns in the league has developed, not through any unfriendly spirit toward that city, but because of the big deficit in the league accounts caused by the slack attendance there.

**Rockford is Tough Town**  
While Rockford promoters are raising a cry of 40,000 guaranteed attendance, it is claimed that one of the principal reasons the Rockford club was dropped from the Three Eye league was lack of patronage. Rockford has the reputation, over the Wisconsin league circuit, of a tough baseball town, and as toughening the league, it is deemed unlikely that the club owners of the league will vote unanimously for the admission of a crowd that they feel might cause strife, in place of a hard working, peaceable organization such as Eau Claire has been.

**Begin Fight This Week**  
Attorney Umbreit, acting for the league, has been directed by President Charles F. Moll, Milwaukee, to begin action at once to have a hearing upon the injunction invoked by Eau Claire. The attorneys will appear this week in the Eau Claire court and will demand a change of venue, making an effort to have argument heard before a Milwaukee judge if possible. Eau Claire, however, has engaged legal talent and is prepared to have the injunction hearing delayed until March 23, the date set in the document for the filing of the league's answer. If Eau Claire wins this point it will mean that Eau Claire will remain in the league.

**Wausau Angry at Moll**  
Pending the outcome of the Eau Claire-Rockford imbroglio, President Moll will be unable to take any steps toward the framing of a schedule of games.  
Wausau directors assert that President Moll is exhibiting a peculiar anxiety to get Rockford into the league, and do not like the attitude of the head of the organization. Wausau owners claim that if Moll fails to oust Eau Claire, he will turn his attention toward ousting Wausau, as the success of the latter city was not much more glowing than that of the northerners.

Aside from these disturbing elements in the league, however, there have never been brighter prospects for a great pennant battle. Every club in the league is making unusual efforts in the way of guarantees of support and to strengthen for the race.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
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### NORTHERN LEAGUE GIVES UP INVASION

WINNIPEG, MAN., Feb. 3.—The Northern league has abandoned all idea of entering St. Paul and Minneapolis on account of the delay experienced in getting a definite reply from the American association. Six teams will comprise the reorganized Northern league. Brandon, Manitoba, probably will be granted a franchise. A meeting of those interested will be held in that city tonight. Winnipeg, Duluth, Fargo, Superior and either Grand Forks or Crookston will comprise the rest of the circuit. Ted Sullivan of Milwaukee, the veteran baseball scout, will get the Superior franchise.

### HOLD STATE GOLF MEET AT KENOSHA

DATES ARE SET FROM 27TH TO  
31ST OF JULY

### SEEK RECORD ENTRY LIST

Other Clubs Are Already in the Running for the 1909 Tournament of the State Association

The annual state tournament for Wisconsin golfers will be held over the links of the Kenosha Country club from July 27 to July 31, according to information received by Milwaukee golfers. The dates were presented to the Western Golf association at its meeting in Chicago on Saturday, and were awarded by that body.

**Seek Record Entry List.**  
An effort will be made to have the coming tournament exceed anything heretofore held in this state. Within a short time committees will begin work of mapping out the program, and the various golf clubs of Wisconsin will be thoroughly canvassed for entries.

There were eighty contestants at Madison last summer, but it is confidently predicted that the number this year will reach nearly 100. F. W. Jacobs of Madison, present holder of the state title, and Al Schaller, of Janesville, who gave him a hard contest in the finals, are practically certain to compete again.

**1909 Tourney May Come Here.**  
Both the Milwaukee and the Blue Mound Country clubs will be well represented at the Kenosha event, and it is understood that the clubs will combine in an effort to land the 1909 tournament.

### CHICAGO SWIMMERS DEFEAT WISCONSIN

CHICAGO, ILL., Feb. 13.—The University of Chicago swimming team won a hard fought meet with the University of Wisconsin Saturday night in the Bertlett natatorium with a score of 34 to 21. This was the first intercollegiate meet of the season, and the Chicago swimmers made an excellent showing, taking first in the 40-yard breast stroke and plunge for distance, and winning the relay race and the polo game. Wisconsin made a strong start by winning first in the 40-yard, 60-yard and 100-yard swims, but Chicago clinched its victory before the polo game by winning the relay race. The polo game was an easy victory for the Maroons.

Osthoff, the Wisconsin swimmer, was the star of the meet, winning first in the 40-yard, 60 and 100-yard swims, thus scoring fifteen of Wisconsin's twenty-one points. In the 100-yard swim he set a new western mark of 1:05 3-5, which may stand as a new American intercollegiate record.

### HEAD OF WHITE SOX



CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The White Sox squad are to have a great trip west and south this year in preparation for the games next summer. On February 23 they leave here by special train for Los Angeles, Cal. At that point two teams are to be formed and separated for the rest of the trip. Together the teams will play 75 games as follows:

**TEAM NO. 1.**  
March 6—At Los Angeles.  
March 7—At Los Angeles.  
March 8—At Los Angeles.  
March 12—At San Francisco.  
March 13—At San Francisco.  
March 14—At San Francisco.  
March 15 (a. m.)—At Oakland.  
March 15 (p. m.)—At San Francisco.  
March 16—On the road.  
March 17—On the road.  
March 18—On the road.  
March 19—Resting up.  
March 20—At New Orleans.  
March 21—At New Orleans.  
March 22—At New Orleans.  
March 23—At Montgomery.  
March 24—At Birmingham.  
March 25—At Birmingham.  
March 26—At Nashville.  
March 27—At Nashville.  
March 28—At Evansville.  
March 29—At Evansville.  
March 30—At Terre Haute.  
March 31—At Terre Haute.  
April 1—At Indianapolis.  
April 2—At Indianapolis.  
April 3—Open.  
April 4—At Cincinnati.  
April 5—At Cincinnati.  
April 6—At South Bend.  
April 7—At Chicago.  
April 8—At Chicago.  
April 9—At Chicago.  
April 10—At Chicago.  
April 11—At Fort Wayne.  
April 12—At Fort Wayne.  
**TEAM NO. 2.**  
March 6—At San Francisco.  
March 7—At San Francisco.  
March 8 (a. m.)—At Oakland.  
March 8 (p. m.)—At San Francisco.  
March 12—At Los Angeles.  
March 13—At Los Angeles.  
March 14—At Los Angeles.  
March 15—At Los Angeles.  
March 16—On the road.  
March 17—At Phoenix.  
March 18—At Tucson.  
March 19—At Bisbee.  
March 20—At Douglas.  
March 21—At El Paso.  
March 22—At El Paso.  
March 23—At Albuquerque.

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March 25—At Hutchinson.

March 26—At Wichita.

March 27—At Topeka.

March 28—At Kansas City.

March 29—At Kansas City.

March 30—At Lincoln.

March 31—At Lincoln.

April 1—At Sioux City.

April 2—At Sioux City.

April 3—At Omaha.

April 4—At Omaha.

April 5—At Omaha.

April 6—At Des Moines.

April 7—At Burlington.

April 8—At Galena.

April 9—At Galena.

April 10—At Bloomington.

April 11—At Decatur.

April 12—At Springfield, Ill.

They are to be provided for in such a way as no other athletic squad ever before went out to conquer the world.

A special train, consisting of the necessary sleepers and a diner, has been provided for their use on their westward trip, and it is assured that the trip will be one of pleasure as well as business.

They couldn't always tell which from which even in the days of witchcraft.

Work and patience propel the plow of prosperity.

### WESTERN ASS'N GOLFING DATES

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Directors of the Western Golf association met in President A. R. Gates' office and decided upon dates for the 1908 championships. After conferring with J. D. Cady of the Rock Island Arsenal Golf club, the officials set the dates for the western amateur event at that club's links for July 13-18.

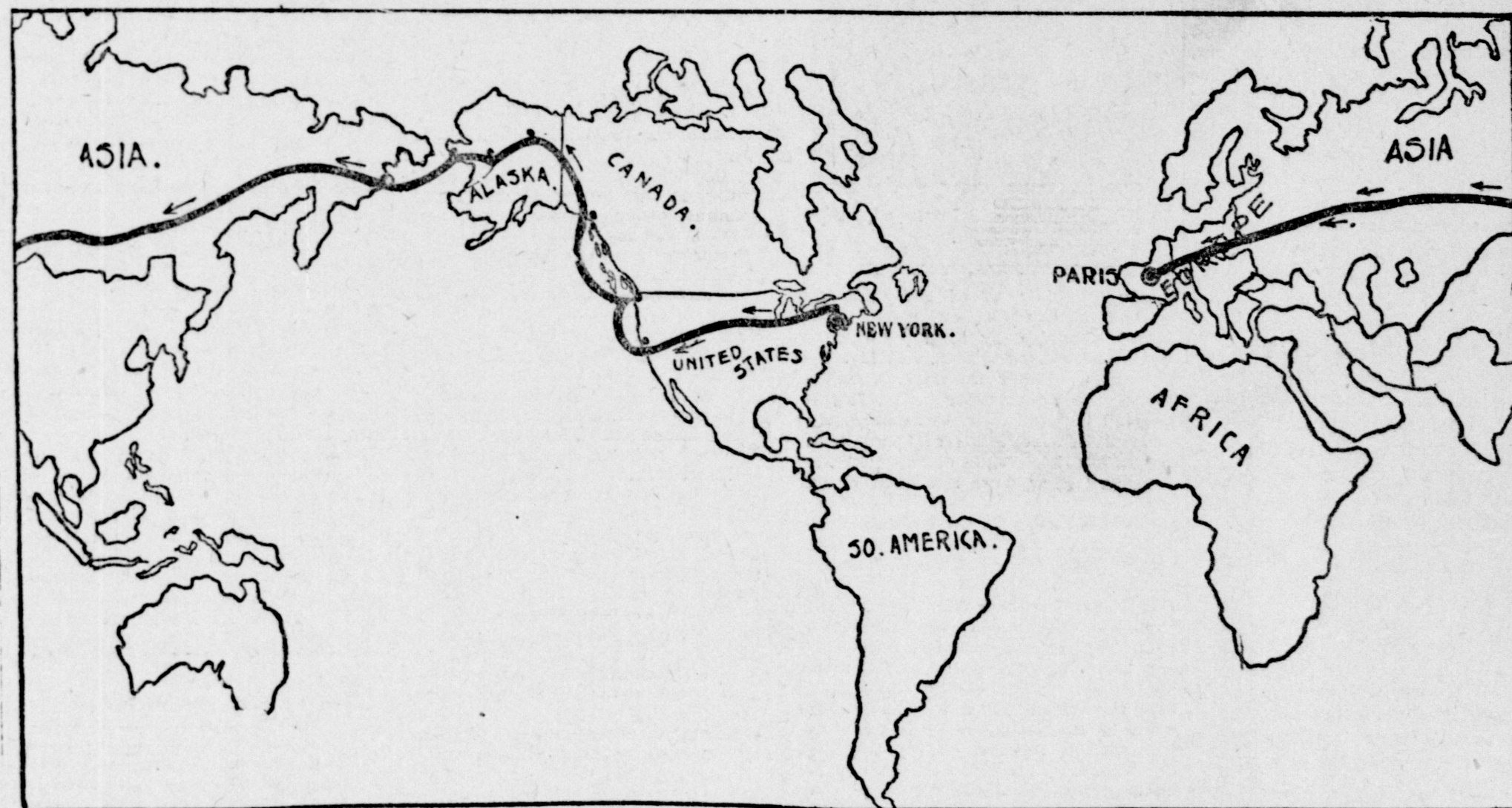
The method of play will involve two days for qualifying round play, eighteen holes, on Monday and Tuesday, thirty-two to qualify. On Wednesday there will be two match rounds of eighteen holes each. The other match rounds will be at thirty-six holes.

The western open championship at the Normandie club, St. Louis, will be played June 18 and 19, at medal play, thirty-six holes.

According to the annual report of the Pinkerton agency, there doesn't seem to have been any decline in the prosperity of the bank-burglary business, anyway.

A mother never enjoys a visit away from home unless she can worry about the children.

## View of The Proposed Route of New York-Paris Automobile Run



PROPOSED ROUTE OF NEW YORK-PARIS AUTOMOBILE RUN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—When the American and foreign cars leave New York city for Paris about the middle of next month, a remarkable test of automobiles will have been undertaken. The dangers and hardships of much of the route is preventing a very large entry, and no doubt many of those now entered will drop by the wayside.

In the east the speed laws will be rigorously observed and all cars will keep together as far as Chicago. From there the real race begins.

The official route has been determined upon. It leads across the United States from New York to San Francisco in its first stage, and covers a total of 5,200 miles in the transcontinental trip. It passes through 12 states in all and fully 500 cities in its course. From New York it leads up the Hudson to Albany. Thence westward to Buffalo, passing through Utica, Syracuse, Rochester and other cities. From Buffalo the road leads along the lakes, passing through Erie, Oberlin, Toledo, Elkhart, South Bend and to Chicago. From Chicago they rush on to the Mississippi at Clinton, then to Council Bluffs, Reno, Carson City, Rhodes, Bently, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, San Jose and up to San Francisco.

Arriving in San Francisco the automobilists will leave by boat for Seattle, transshipping there to steamers which will carry them on to Valdez, Alaska. This section of the

race will lead into the interior until straight, along the shores of the Arctic ocean to the Bay of Kolutschin and the Bay of Tschuan, 1,000. The Yukon is reached, and then will follow the Yukon down to a point from which Nome can be reached.

The distances along the government roads to Fairbanks are clearly defined, and the trail is marked by the United States government for the purposes of the posts sent through with the mails.

The passage across the Bering strait will be arranged from Nome City. The landing point in Siberia will be East Cape. From there an 11,350-mile stretch is ahead of the drivers. The distances of the principal stages of the journey are:

From East Cape on the Bering

Thence to the mouth of the Kolyma river, 600. Through Nishne, Kolymsk and Svedne Kolymsk, 324. Thence to the city of Verchojansk, 1,500. Thence on to Yakutsk on the Lena river, 620. Following the Lena river to Irkutsk on the Siberian railroad, 2,000. From Irkutsk, along the line of the Siberian railroad to Moscow, 3,500. From Moscow to Paris is a simple matter of 1,800 miles.

The automobiles will thus travel 18,000 miles in addition to the distance covered by boat.

This race when completed will constitute the most remarkable achievement of its kind ever undertaken. It will also show the practicability of a railroad from New York to Paris.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Mueller of Milwaukee, have returned to their home after spending their honeymoon at the home of the former's grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Kienzle, 1113 South Third street.

Mr. Mueller was married Wednesday morning at Holy Trinity church to Miss Catherine Mergeler, a young woman prominent in social and musical circles in Milwaukee.

Mr. Mueller is manager of the Kaun Music company of Milwaukee and is also prominent in musical circles in the Cream City, being an accomplished musician, as is his bride. They will make their home in Milwaukee.

### THIS FELLOW HAS SNOBBISH IDEAS



DR. CHARLES W. ELIOT, PRESIDENT OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot of Harvard university declares that "men are not equal, so are children yet less equal," and states that children should be assigned to certain trades and compelled by law to learn these trades. Dr. Eliot says:

"I assert that it is perfectly proper to enact laws which will give the teachers the authority to sort out the boys and girls, assign to each the trade at which he or she seems best adapted, and the law should then compel these children to be trained for these trades."

"This sentiment I see, has already impressed some of you as being undemocratic. I think that it is not so. Democracy is based on a theory that all men are equal; all men are not equal and never can be. Men of practical mind have long set aside that platitudinous for what it is worth. And as men are not equal so are children yet less equal. We see how in a single family, with the same heredity, same environments, same opportunities, brothers and sisters enter widely diverging strata of society by natural difference."

"Thus a find that nature often conflicts with what idealists regard as democracy's principles, and when nature and democracy clash democracy is the loser."

Dr. Eliot declared that what industrial conditions require is more workmen skilled as journeymen, not more able foremen and superintendents.

### CAUGHT THE THIEF

Recently in the village of Tahara-mura, Japan, all the male inhabitants above the age of fifteen years were assembled in front of the local Shinto shrine at the call of the village chief. A thief had been making depredations in the local tobacco plantations, and the chief sought to discover him. Outlines of the feet of all the villagers were taken on sheets of paper, and then these were compared with the tracks left by the thief in the tobacco fields. Nothing resulted from this experiment. The next day the inhabitants were called together again. A great hole was dug in the ground, and a raging charcoal fire was built in it. All persons present were ordered to walk through the fire barefooted, it being declared that no person would be burned except the guilty one. All advanced to undergo the ordeal except one, Shukichi Shibata, a man of evil reputation. He declined to trust his feet to the red-hot coals. Accordingly he was arrested and soon confessed his guilt.

If a man had everything else to suit him except just one thing, he would be as unhappy over that as all the usual ills put together.

You can pay some men a compliment by asking them if they have change for a \$10 bill.



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### OF STUPENDOUS IMPORTANCE.

As if in earnest of the special message to congress in which President Roosevelt uttered defiance to the predatory corporations last week, the federal department of justice has begun the most important legal onslaught on utility combinations since the arraignment of Standard Oil. It has started suit to compel the cancellation of the Harriman railroad mergers, and the prayer of the government not only goes to the breaking of the trust, but reaches out to head off possible new combinations of these roads, in the future, and dips into the dividends of the combined companies.

The Harriman combine represents the most powerful and most dangerous and baneful railroad merger ever consummated. Composed of the Oregon Short Line railroad company, the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company, the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad company, the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company, the Southern Pacific company, the Northern Pacific railway company and the Great Northern railway company, it embraces and dominates the entire United States from Chicago and the Mississippi river, between Canada and the Gulf of Mexico, west to the Pacific, and controls ocean traffic also.

The millions this combine has meant to the people, with its "Alton deals," its artificial rates, its illegal discriminations and its mortgaging of hundreds of years of the future, can hardly be computed. The suit is of vast importance to the public, and if the "rooting" of a nation is capable of contributing to the success of the administration, it will be successfully prosecuted.

### FINES, OR JAIL?

A great deal has been said to the effect that personal punishment of corporate offenders should be inflicted instead of the exaction of fines from the corporations, the theory being that such fines are at once collected from the public by the offenders. Governor Hughes, in announcing his presidential candidacy, declared emphatically that this criticism is just.

But in his recent message to congress President Roosevelt defends the fine on the theory that personal punishment of the right men is often impossible, and that fines are the only telling alternative. He dips into the question during a discussion of the attacks made upon the administration for its activity in enforcing the laws, saying:

"The attack is sometimes made openly against us for enforcing the

law, and sometimes with certain cunning, for not trying to enforce it in some other way than that which experience shows to be practical. One of the favorite methods of the latter class of assailant is to attack the administration for not procuring the imprisonment instead of the fine of offenders under these anti-trust laws. The man making this assault is either a prominent lawyer or an editor usually who takes his policy from the financiers and his arguments from their attorneys. If the former, he has defended and advised many wealthy malefactors, and he knows well that, thanks to the advice of lawyers like himself, a fair kind of modern corporation has been turned into an admirable instrument by which to render it well-nigh impossible to get at the head of the corporation, at the man who is really most guilty. When we are to put the real wrongdoer in prison, this is what we strive to do; that is what we have actually done with some very wealthy criminals, who, moreover, represented that most baneful of all alliances, the alliance between the corruption of organized politics and the continuance of high finance. This is what we have done in the Gaynor and Greene case, in the case of the misapplication of funds in connection with certain great banks in Chicago, in the land fraud cases, where as in other cases likewise neither the highest political position nor the possession of great wealth has availed to save the offenders from prison. The federal government does scourge sin; it does bid sinners fear; for it has put behind the bars with financial severity, the powerful financier, the powerful politician, the rich land thief, the rich contractor—all, no matter how high their station, against whom criminal misdeeds can be proved. All their wealth and power cannot protect them. But it often happens that the effort to imprison a given defendant is certain to be futile, while it is possible to fine him or to fine the corporation of which he is head; so that, in other words, the only way of punishing the wrong is by fining the corporation, unless we are content to proceed personally against the minor agents. The corporation lawyers to whom I refer and their employers are the men mainly responsible for this state of things, and their responsibility is shared with all who ingeniously oppose the passing of just and effective laws, or who fail to execute them when they have been put on the statute books."

President Roosevelt's "simplified spelling board" has issued a supplementary list of words the spelling of which has been revised. It was consistent in the board to change the spelling of "phonetic" to "fonetic," and the change of "campaign" to "campain" was timely if a trifle "painful." The change of "scissors" to "sissors" may be regarded as bearing an important significance in the sanctum of our local "Esteemed Etc.," while the entire affair is calculated to give everybody an "ake" (ache).

The murder of a rather drastic ruler of a more or less tempestuous monarchy hardly clarifies the situation. There will be another ruler for other assassins to annihilate during other political upheavals.

The verdict: Jerome was convicted; Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was acquitted. Thaw was ignored by the jury, and committed by the judge.

### VANDERLIP SUCCEEDS BANKER STILLMAN



FRANK A. VANDERLIP.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—James Stillman will soon retire from the presidency of the National City bank and seek a much needed rest after a long and arduous career as one of the country's leading bankers. He will not entirely sever his connection with the institution, but will become chairman of the board of directors. Mr. Stillman will be succeeded by Frank A. Vanderlip, who is now vice-president of the National City bank. The younger man is conceded to be well qualified to take up the work of the office which Mr. Stillman is about to relinquish. He has just been elected a director of the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific in place of Mr. Stillman, who resigned. Mr. Vanderlip has for years directed the bank's affairs during the absence of the president. He came to the institution as vice president in 1901, after four years of service in Washington as assistant secretary of the treasury. He is 44 years of age. When Secretary Gage was asked by President McKinley to take charge of the treasury in 1897 he made Mr. Vanderlip, then a Chicago journalist, his private secretary, and within three months made him assistant secretary of the treasury. The National City bank of New York, which Mr. Vanderlip will head, is one of the world's greatest financial institutions.

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### QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

The Greater Danger.  
(Anonymous.)  
"Tell me, O ancient mariner,  
If ship or sky or sea,  
Or land of all the lands that are,  
Be half so fair as she?"

"Truly, O youth, she is more fair  
Than sky or sea or shore;  
But in the time of storms have care;  
Fear these, but fear her more!"  
—Translated from the Spanish in  
Trans-Atlantic Tales.

### Solo that Amazed the Church.

A certain young Unitarian minister is visiting a friend and classmate who lives in Roxbury, and while the two were sitting around the fire and spinning yarns the minister, who is visiting and who comes from the west told this:

"When I went west first I was in a small town called L—, and in the choir of my church the village blacksmith did noble work as barytone. He had a voice that could shake the mountains, and whatever it lacked in any other feature it made up in volume. He couldn't read music any more than he could English, but he learned a tune very readily.

"One Sunday we were to be favored with a new anthem, because it was a special occasion, and the barytone had one portion all to himself. Unfortunately he had missed many of the practices.

"The anthem went along excellently until it came to a beautiful part which reads, 'And dying, bids us all aspire.' 'Here the rest of the singers stopped short, in the quick, sudden way that choirs have and in the ensuing stillness sounded the ponderous tones of the blacksmith:

"And dying brides are filled with fire."—Boston Herald.

### How It Works.

Once there was a struggling young author who was blest with many friends, all of whom told him that he was the coming great writer of the country.

So one day a bright thought struck him. He said:

"I will publish my book, and all my friends who admire it so much will buy my book, and I will be rich."

So he printed his book.

And all of his friends waited for him to send them autographed copies of his book.

And so his books were sold as junk. And ever after he didn't have any friends.—Success Magazine.

### To a Higher Table.

John Barrett, chief of the bureau of American republics, after various other experiments in diplomacy, came to Washington from Oregon during President Cleveland's second term to get anything he could.

He brought a bunch of Oregon boomers with him, and for a time they stayed at the best hotels. The job was slow in coming and they went from cheaper place to cheaper place, like Mark Twain's office-seeker, until they were forced to eat at one of the lunch places on Pennsylvania avenue.

One night, while they were at Cleveland had decided to appoint Barrett minister to Siam. Barrett rose from the table and put on his coat.

"Hold on, John," cried one of his companions in misfortune; "where are you going? Aren't you going to finish your dinner?"

"Gentlemen," said Barrett, as he stalked out, "this is no place for the minister to Siam to dine."—Saturday Evening Post.

### Just His Size.

John M. Work, the socialistic lecturer and author of "What's So and What Isn't," is built somewhat on the Abraham Lincoln order, tall and slim.

During the season of 1905-06 Work and Walter Thomas Mills, who is short and thick, both appeared on a lecture course at Cincinnati. Mills came first. In the course of his lecture he took occasion to announce the coming of his fellow platformist.

Among other things, he said, "Work is just my size."

A snicker ran over the audience. Mills continued: "Now, what are you folks laughing at? Work is twice as tall as I am, and half as big around; doesn't that make him just my size?"—Lyceumite and Talent.

### Where He Hung Out Most.

She was sulking over a broken resolution a few late hours, but forgetting this for the nonce, he said:

"Do you know, darling, I never tire of looking at this snapshot of you?"

"You might have it framed and hung up in the lodge, then," she answered tartly.

### Ten or Twenty Maybe.

She kissed him from the window of the Florida special.

"Now, remember," said he, "the minute you reach Ormond, telegraph."

"All right," she answered, gratefully, "and how much shall I telegraph for?"

### PREPARE FOR DEMOCRATS.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—Preparations for entertaining the democratic state convention here on Feb. 13 and 14 are now being completed by the central committee, assisted by the local business organizations. Local politics are warning up to fever heat, yet democratic leaders are apparently more interested in the state meeting than in the race for mayor.

### DONNELLY TO SPEAK.

PORTAGE, Wis., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—Joseph G. Donnelly, the celebrated Irish wit and politician of Milwaukee, will be the principal speaker at the banquet of the Sundown club tonight. His subject will be "Pits and Misfits," which has made many a Milwaukee club laugh.

### JUST LIFE



### Where the Heart Is.

Some wag of the vaudeville stage wrote a song.  
The idea of which made us shiver.  
Its title was something like, "Where the heart is,  
Close by you will sure find the liver."

There certainly's nothing romantic in this,  
And it is a long way from aesthetic.  
But we have discovered when one is in love,  
The sensation's like an emetic.

Poets have written the way to man's heart.  
Is to fill him up—feed him a ton;  
And we judge from sensations of hunger and love  
That the heart and the stomach are one.

—W. V. K.

### FASHION HINTS

(By May Mantou.)



5897 Girl's Apron, 4 to 8 years.

The need of the dainty yet protective apron is an ever present one with the small girl and such a pretty model as this is sure to find its place. As illustrated it is made of lawn with the bretelles of embroidery and the little yoke of tucking. It can, however, be treated in a number of ways as it is straight at the lower edge and consequently is well adapted to the hemstitched finish, while it also can be cut from flouncing and the bretelles can be made either of embroidery or the plain material trimmed. The little yoke, too, admits of variety, for it can be of plain material trimmed and finished with a little embroidery quite as well as of the tucking. Again, the apron could be made from the pretty chambrays and other inexpensive wash fabrics that are liked for harder usage.

The apron consists of the yoke, which is cut in two portions, the apron proper and the bretelles or shoulder flaps.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (6 years) is 3 yards 24, 2½ yards 36 inches wide with 1½ yards of embroidery 5 inches wide, ¾ yard of tucking, to make as illustrated.

The pattern 5897 is cut in sizes for girls of 4, 6 and 8 years of age, and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage which insures more prompt delivery.)

### JOKE ON THE MAYOR

MARINETTE, Wis., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—The sensation caused by the appearance of the signature of Dr. J. J. Sherman, the only prohibition mayor Marinette ever had, on an application for a saloon license, has received its quietus as it develops that the matter was a practical joke on Dr. Sherman. He is an inveterate foe to liquor and was inveigled into signing the application by the representation that it was for a street light.

### REMEMBERS WAGNER.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 3.—(Special.)—Milwaukee musical circles are to-day commemorating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the death of Richard Wagner, which occurred on Feb. 13, 1882, and tonight the Musik Verein will give a Wagnerian concert. The memorial is held ten days earlier because of conflicts in dates.

There are local indications that the ground hog must have decided to "go way back and sit down."

(To Be Continued.)

### ALADDIN OF LONDON

BY MAX PEMBERTON

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### 1—STORY.

"He would do so, but he is a Pole—and because he is a Pole he tells you that he has gone to Paris when the truth is that he is at Berlin all the time."

"But why should he wish to deceive me, Paul—what am I to him?"

"You are one necessary to his salvation—perhaps it is by you alone that he will live. I could see when I first spoke to you how much you were astonished at it, but remember, every Pole in London knows all about his fellow-countrymen, and so it is very natural that I know something of Richard Gessner. You who live in his house can tell me more. See what a gossip I am where my own people are concerned. You have been living in this man's house and you can tell me all about it—his tastes, his books, his friends. There would be many friends coming, of course?"

"Not very many, Paul, and those chiefly city men. They eat a great deal and talk about money. It's all money up there—the rich, the rich—the rich—I wonder how long I shall be able to stand it."

"Oh, money's a thing most people get used to very quickly. They can stand a lot of it, my boy. But are there not foreigners at your house—men of my own country?"

"I have never seen any—once, I think, Mr. Gessner was talking to a stranger in the garden and he looked like a foreigner. You don't think I would spy upon him, Paul?"

"That would be the work of a very ungrateful fellow. None the less, if there are foreigners at Hampstead, I should wish to know of it."

"You—and why?"

"That I may save your kind friend from certain perils which I think are about to menace him. Yes, yes, he has been generous to you and I wish to reward him. He must not know—he must never hear my name in the matter, but should there be strangers at Hampstead let me know immediately—write to me if you cannot come here. Do not delay or you may rue it to the end of your days. Write to me, Alban, and I shall know how to help your friend."

He had spoken under a spell of strong excitement, but his message delivered, he fell again to his old quiet manner; and having exchanged a few commonplace with the astonished but plainly intimidated that he would be alone. Alban, surprised beyond measure, perceived in his turn that no amount of questioning would help him to a better understanding; and so, in a state of perplexity which defied expression, he said "Good night" and went out into the quiet street.

### CHAPTER XIV

#### There are Strangers in the Caves

It was some time after midnight when Alban reached Broad Street station and discovered that the last train for Hampstead had left. A certain uneasiness as to what his new friends would think of him did not deter him from his sudden determination to turn westward and seek out his old haunts. He had warned Richard Gessner that no house would ever make a prisoner of him, and this quick desire for liberty now burned in his veins as a fever. It would be good, he thought, to keep under the stars once more and to imagine himself that same Alban Kennedy who had not known whether to look for bread—could it be but five short weeks ago?

The city was very still as he passed through it and, save for a broken-down motor omnibus with a sleepy conductor for its guardian, Cheapside appeared to be almost devoid of traffic. The great buildings, wherein men sought the gold all day, were now given over to watchmen and rats, as the bodies of the seekers would one day be given over to the earth whence they sprang. Alban depicted a great army of the servants of money asleep in distant homes, and he could not but ask what happiness they carried there, what capacities for rest and true enjoyment.

Was it true, as he had begun to believe, that the life of pleasure had cares of its own, hardly less supportable than those which crushed the poor to the very earth? Was the daily round of abundance, of lights and music and wine and women—was it but the basest of shams, scarce deceiving those who practised it? His brief experience seemed to answer the question in the affirmative. He wondered if he had known such an hour of true happiness as that which had come to him upon the last night he had spent in the Caves. Honestly said that he had not—and to the Caves he now turned as one who would search out forgotten pleasures.

The building in St. James' street had made great advance since last he saw it, but he observed to his satisfaction that the entrance to the subterranean passages were not absolutely closed, and he did not doubt that many of the old night-hawks were still in possession. His astonishment, therefore, was considerable when, upon dropping into the first of the passages, a figure sprang up and clutched him by the throat, while a hand thrust a lantern into his face and a pair of black eyes regarded him with amazed curiosity. "A slap-up toff, so help me Jimmy! And what may your Royal Highness be doing this way—what brings you to this pretty parlor? Now, speak up, my lad, or it will go queer with you."

Alban knew in an instant—his long experience taught him—that he had fallen into the hands of the police, and his first alarms were very real.

(To Be Continued.)

### COLOR

The first quality of flour that influences the prospective purchaser is its color, for the color of bread is almost entirely dependent upon the quality of the flour.

You may without hesitation compare the color of—

### MARVEL

with that of any other flour, for its faultless dressing and perfection of the color of rich creamy hue will thereby be strongly brought out.

ORDER A SACK TODAY

### OLDEST LIVING EX-MEMBER OF CONGRESS



GENERAL EPHRAIM ECKLEY.

CARROLLTON, O., Feb. 3.—General Ephraim R. Eckley of this city is the oldest living ex-member of congress. He is now 96 and remains in vigorous health, mentally alert and interested in all that is doing in state and national politics. He never misses a local or state convention of the republican party, and for many years has been a notable figure at national conventions either as a delegate or as a spectator.

He has lived under the administration of every president save Washington, Adams and Jefferson. He cast his first vote when Jackson was a candidate for president and has never missed voting even at a primary contest in his home village. He remembers the report of Napoleon's downfall at Waterloo, and wondered at the time what it was all about. Later on, when Napoleon's death at St. Helena was reported, the future congressman understood.

Gen. Eckley has seen every president since Jackson and took part in both campaigns of William Henry Harrison in 1836 and 1840. When Harrison spoke at Carrollton in 1838 he was entertained by Gen. Eckley, and had Harrison lived to complete his term he might have given the young lawyer an appointment. Forty-eight years later Gen. Eckley aided in the election of the grandson of Harrison to be president of the United States and attended his inauguration.

Gen. Eckley did not seek office until 1842, when he was elected to the state senate as a whig. Six years later he was again chosen to the senate, and later to the lower branch of the legislature. Then he was on the ticket with Sam F. Vinton, but was defeated. In 1853 the whigs of Ohio picked Eckley as the candidate for United States senator, but he

failed of election. Upon the down fall of the old whig party he became active in the organization of the republican organization and was a delegate to the first convention at Philadelphia in 1856, when Fremont was made nominee.

During the Lincoln campaign Gen. Eckley was very active, and when war was declared he immediately offered his services, although 50 years old. He began as a lieutenant-colonel, and became a brigadier before the war was ended. In 1862, while he was fighting in the western part of Kentucky, he was nominated and elected to congress, but he did not resign his command until the congress was called to meet July 4, 1863. Then he stood up with Blaine, Garfield and Allison to be sworn in. They were beginning their congressional life, and Garfield had also been elected during his service in the army. Gen. Eckley served three terms.

Since leaving congress Gen. Eckley has never yearned for political office. Very often he was mentioned for governor or for congress, but he made no effort to take part in the fray of Ohio political strife. One of his sons, Harvey, has served as state senator and for a time had an ambition for congress, but Carroll county is small and figures mighty little in the district.

In view of the fact that Gen. Eckley is the oldest ex-congressman from Ohio as well as the oldest in the country, it is planned to have him come to Washington next December as an honored guest of the Ohio delegation. In addition to the greeting that will be given by Ohio members the ex-member may be given a dinner or reception by the republicans of the house.

### Yes, if Mother Says So.

There was company to dinner at Nellie's house in South road street, and the diners were enjoying the first course, which consisted of oyster soup. Nellie made away with hers for some time in silence, until she had nearly cleaned the plate, when she suddenly paused and looking at her mother across the table said in a stage whisper:

"Mamma, what you fink. Dere's a hair in the soup!"

"Hush, Nellie!" said mamma, frowning. "It's nothing but a crack in the plate."

Nellie moved the bowl of her spoon back and forth over the supposed crack, and then exclaimed triumphantly:

"Kin a crack move?" — Philadelphia Ledger.

Molly—When you spoke to father did you tell him you had \$500 in the bank?

George—Yes.

Molly—And what did he say?

George—He borrowed it!—Sketchy Bits.

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## NORTH SIDE NEWS

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### STREET CARS GO ON STRIKE TODAY

POWER GIVES OUT WHEN NORTH SIDERS WOULD RIDE

### MANY ARE FORCED TO WALK

Trouble at the Power House Causes a Delay in Traffic Until Nine O'clock

The street cars this morning went on a strike, and the engines at the power house refused to operate. For over two hours there were no cars at the busiest time of the day, when a large number of the North side residents were on their way to work.

The first car to the South side reached there at 10 minutes of nine, and there had been no car for several hours before that.

Some of them managed to get around the circuit on one engine power, only to be stalled in front of some crowd waiting on the corner.

About 8 o'clock two cars went north, past a number of people who had been waiting for some time on every street corner along the line, and returned about an hour after, carrying a heavy load so that they were able to run but slowly.

A number of people walked to the South side.

## WANTED

Corporation selling exclusively to grocery trade desires to engage a La Crosse young man as local representative. Must be well recommended and have a personal following among the city grocers. Address "Aggressive" care Tribune.

### TRY TO STOP LOSS ON MOVING EMPTIES

RAILROAD MEN TO GATHER IN CHICAGO FRIDAY

### LOSSE SHAVE BEEN LARGE

Situation is Regarded as an Emergency and Local Railroaders are Interested

Next Friday, the 7th of February, there will be a special meeting of the American Railway association at Chicago, for the purpose of adopting measures to stop the tremendous loss occasioned by the present movement of empty cars on the various railroads of the country.

First Special Ever Called  
This meeting will be the first special meeting ever called in the history of the association and the emergency is regarded as great.

It is stated that since the falling off in traffic began several million dollars have been wasted by the railroads in their frantic efforts to send the empty cars of other railroads home and thereby escape the penalty of 50 cents a day for the use of a foreign car. This penalty was imposed by the association less than one year ago to accomplish the very thing which the railroads are now anxious to stop. At the time that the 50 cent penalty was imposed, however, the railroads were more than 150,000 cars short of the number required to take care of the traffic offered. It was, therefore, desired to insure the speedy return of freight equipment to the road owning the cars and to prevent roads which were short of equipment from retaining and using cars belonging to other lines.

Numerous Idle Cars  
Now the situation has so materially changed that there are at least 350,000 idle freight cars in the United States, and no road desires the speedy return of its equipment. It is stated that fully one-fifth of the entire freight car movement recently has been that of empty cars being hurried to the owning or home roads. This movement costs an immense amount of money, and the railroads have come to the conclusion that it would be better to permit the cars to remain where they are until they are needed.

It is therefore purposed to suspend the operation of the per diem rules, beginning March 1 and continuing until the situation again demands a penalty. It is also recalled that it was less than three months ago that the railroads were planning to impose a penalty of \$5 for every car which was diverted or loaded in the direction opposite to home. Now the roads the begging one another to divert and to use thousands of cars which are no longer needed on the home road. Railroad men declare that the present situation has never had a parallel.

At a general meeting of the Western Passenger association held a few days ago a committee was appointed to confer with the eastern passenger men and arrive at an understanding with reference to summer tourist rates for the coming season. After two sessions the western men were unable to reach an agreement with respect to the rates. When many states passed 2 cent laws western and eastern men declared that the railroads would cut out all reduced rates and would place everything on a 2 cent basis.

May Grant Old Rates  
A strong faction is in favor of refusing to make a lower rate for summer tours. A second faction is in favor of charging the same fares as last year, which would be \$30 from Chicago to Colorado points, and would be about 1 1/2 cents a mile. A third faction is in favor of making a rate of \$26.50 from Chicago, but it is likely that the rates of last year will prevail.

ST. JAMES CLUB HAD MEETING LAST NIGHT  
The regular meeting of the St. James club was held last evening in the school room on Windsor street.

The meeting was called to order by President Healy.  
Rev. Ambrose Murphy reported for the banquet committee and was pleased to state that the advance sale for the lecture at Germania tomorrow evening had been good.

L. E. Lavaque reported that the books had been audited and that he would now have charge of the treasury.

New ushers are to be elected for the church.  
The following were appointed to usher and assist at the lecture at the Germania hall tomorrow evening: Messrs. M. M. Downey, Miles Murphy, Charles Yehle, Vincent Downey, Bernard Malay, Joseph Ott and Oscar Smith.

TOLLEFSON WILL RESUME TAILORING  
J. Tollefson, junior member of the north side clothing firm of Nelson and Tollefson, has severed his connection with the firm and will resume the tailoring business at his old stand, 203 South Fourth street. Mr. Tollefson has been in the north side business for four or five months.

### NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Mrs. E. Singer, wife of the jeweler, is ill at her home, 1519 Caledonia street.

Miss Nora Nelson is ill at her home at 1436 Caledonia street.

Mrs. C. Dawson of West La Crosse and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dawson are entertaining Mr. G. Dawson of Ralph, Iowa, for a few days at their home at West La Crosse.

Mrs. W. Seagor of Brice's Prairie spent Wednesday with her son John Seagor of Prospect street.

Mrs. John Holberg is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. L. Bunt, of 2035 Loomis street.

Mrs. F. West of 1713 Prospect street who has been ill, is improved.

W. V. Smith of 2502 Wood street has accepted a position as chalkman at the Burlington.

Mrs. M. Hausland of Springfield, Wis., mother of Mrs. F. West of Prospect street, who has been critically ill for some time, is reported to be beyond recovery.

Mrs. Claude Gaskill of Rising Sun, Wis., daughter-in-law of Mrs. James Gaskill, of Kane street, is seriously ill.

J. M. Roth, 2113 Loomis street, who has been employed at the "Q" store, has accepted a position at the James foundry.

John Johnson of Loomis street who has been ill for some time, has returned to resume his duties at the Grand Crossing machine shops.

N. H. Keiser, 2541 Loomis street, is cutting cordwood on his timberland, near Brice's Prairie.

The 2-year-old son of Operator George W. Wolf, 2031 Loomis street, is ill.

Miss Nora Wagner entertained at her home, 1820 Kane street, yesterday afternoon, in honor of her guests Misses May Dunn and Kitty Walsh of Portage. Covers were laid for twelve.

Roscoe Gould has returned to his home on Kane street after a short visit in Sparta, Wis.

Robert Combullick, who is attending the Winona normal school, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Combullick, 1526 George street.

George Wilson, 1526 George street, is ill at his home.

Mrs. Robson is ill at her home, 1525 George street.

After a few days' visit at the home of L. L. Murphy on Gould street, Dan Kelley returned this morning to South Bend, Ind.

LADIES' AUXILIARY OF ST. JAMES MEETS  
The second regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary association of St. James church which was formed a few weeks ago took place yesterday afternoon.

The ladies are going to get a "mile-of-pennies." The money is to be used for the purchase of an altar for the church.

A number of new members were added yesterday and constitutions and bylaws drafted.

### MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

### FATHER IS FREED; SON FOUND GUILTY

JURY BRINGS IN DOUBLE VERDICT

### COMMUNITY IS SURPRISED

Sympathies With Son, Who Shot to Save Father from Death—May Mean Long Sentence

HASTINGS, Minn., Feb. 3.—"Guilty of manslaughter in the first degree" for the son and "not guilty" for the father was the double verdict rendered by the jury here Saturday night in the Brennan murder trial, which occupied all last week in the local court. The verdict was rendered at 10:15 o'clock, the jury having been out almost an even 12 hours. No notice of appeal has been given, but the citizens generally were surprised at the finding, as their sympathies seemed to be with the prisoners.

Anthony Brennan, the murdered man, was shot while in a field on his farm on August 27, 1907. At the time of the shooting he was engaged in a quarrel with Michael Nolan Brennan and the latter's son, Michael Brennan, Jr., over the boundary lines of their farms, which adjoin each other.

Charged With Murder  
Both father and son were arrested and on the death of the wounded man a day or two later were charged with murder.

During the trial it developed that there had been trouble between the Brennans ever since they had lived on the adjoining farms, and an attempt was made to show premeditation of murder on the part of the defendants. The testimony also revealed an attack on the younger man by Michael Brennan during the quarrel on the day of the crime, and during which Anthony Brennan struck Michael Brennan, Jr., on the face with a stick. It was following this blow that the shot which resulted in Anthony's death was fired.

Admitted the Shooting  
The young man admitted the shooting, but declared he did not intend to do more than wound his assailant and that he intended to shoot him in the leg. Self defense was the plea made by both the Brennans.

Under the verdict rendered Michael Brennan, Jr., may be sent to state's prison for from five to twenty years. Sentence has not yet been pronounced.

### NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

FARGO, N. D.—Mrs. August Braatz, who sued the city of Fargo for \$2,000, was awarded \$850 after the jury had been out thirty hours. She claimed severe injuries as the result of a fall from a sidewalk. She had been frightened by a bicycle rider.

FARGO, N. D.—Henry S. Stone, convicted of burglarizing a sporting goods house here and stealing revolvers, was sent to the penitentiary on an indeterminate sentence. He has served a term before on a similar charge.

BALATON, Minn.—Fire yesterday morning destroyed the hardware store of James Morrison, his warehouse and most of the farm implements in the warehouse which was below the millinery store of Miss Lena Eng. Miss Eng's residence and all her household goods were destroyed. The loss is \$15,000, partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

WATERTOWN, S. D.—Wallace, S. D., voted 45 to 4 for incorporation at an election called for the purpose. The commissioners will meet Monday to pass on the election.

MARSHALLTOWN, La.—Owen Ball, who was arrested early last fall for the alleged robbing of the Abbott & Son hardware store of a quantity of guns, revolvers and ammunition, was acquitted of burglary in the district court. The evidence was circumstantial. Thomas Burns of Madison, Wis., was given an indeterminate sentence with a maximum of five years, for larceny by Judge Parker.

IVANHOE, Minn.—John Marczak, a Polish farmer living a few miles northwest of Ivanhoe, was found choked to death under a load of sacks of feed which had overturned while he was hauling them home. All of him but one arm and one leg was pinned under the load.

### SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

The Ever Best club celebrated at a 6 o'clock dinner Sunday the third anniversary of the club.

The dining room was decorated in red and white, the colors of the club. Covers were laid for ten. In the center of the table was a vase of American beauty roses.

The dinner, which was in four courses, was served by Miss Juanita Oehler and Meta Will.

Miss Minnie Gifford chaperoned the party. Between the second and third course, which was the merriest part of the evening, Miss Gifford told the young ladies' fortunes by the tea leaves, remaining in the cups.

The evening was spent in playing flinch. The prizes were won by Miss Rose Will and Louise Haefner.

Have grandparents rights that anyone is bound to respect?

One wise counsel is better than the strength of many.

## DAILY MARKETS

### CHI. MARKETS

(By Miner & Co.)

Chicago. Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT.

May .... 96 1/2 96 1/2 93 96

July .... 93 1/2 93 92 92 1/2

CORN.

May .... 59 1/2 59 1/2 58 1/2 59 1/2

July .... 57 1/2 57 1/2 55 1/2 57 1/2

OATS.

May .... 51 1/2 51 1/2 50 1/2 51 1/2

July .... 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2

PORK.

May .... 12.07 12.12 11.95 12.00

Minneapolis.

WHEAT.

May .... 1.05 1.05 1.03 1.04 1/2

July .... 1.04 1/2 1.05 1.03 1/2 1.04 1/2

GOSSIP OF THE PIT.

Hogs—Close, estimated receipts, 45,000; for tomorrow, 31,000; market weak to shade lower than opening; bulk, \$4.30 to \$4.40; light, \$4.10 to \$4.40; mixed, \$4.15 to \$4.47 1/2; heavy, \$4.15 to \$4.47 1/2; rough, \$4.15 to \$4.25. Cattle, 24,000; steady. Sheep, 20,000; weak to 10c lower.

Liverpool Opening—Wheat, 1/4d higher; corn, 1/4d higher.

Liverpool Close—Wheat, 1/4 to 1/2 higher; corn unchanged to 1/4d higher.

Chicago, Hog Opening—Estimated receipts, 43,000; left over, 5,994; prospects steady at Saturday's close.

Cattle—Estimated 24,000; prospects steady to strong.

Sheep—20,000; steady.

Carrots—Wheat, 15-1; corn, 438-0; oats, 124-8. Last year, wheat, 19; corn, 717; oats, 190.

World's shipments detailed: America, 4,952,000 bushels wheat; corn, 1,755,000 bushels. Argentina wheat, 3,403,000 bush.; corn, 374,000 bush.

Australia, wheat, 320,000 bushels; corn, none. Danube, wheat, 312,000 bush.; corn, 447,000 bushels.

India, none. Russia, wheat, 208,000 bushels; corn, 704,000 bushels; total, wheat, 11,312,000 bushels; corn, 3,316,000 bushels.

New York—Receivership rumors are current on Rock Island, and this is given as explanation for its further serious weakness with preferred stock down 3 points.

We don't believe there is the least truth in receivership talk.

### SUPREME JUSTICE IS 32 YEARS OLD

Oklahoma is the youngest state in the union. Hence, it seems appropriate enough that the presiding justice of its supreme court should be the youngest chief justice in the history of the United States. This jurist is the Hon. Samuel Hays, who was born in 1875, and who was therefore just 32 years of age on the day when he was elected to the supreme court of Oklahoma.

Mr. Hays is a native of Arkansas, but when very young his family removed to Texas, where he grew up amid fields of sugar cane, corn and cotton, in which he worked industriously so as to save sufficient money for his education at the University of Virginia. Upon graduating from that university he began legal practice in the Indian Territory, out of which was carved the territory and, later, the state of Oklahoma.

He took an active part in the formation of the constitution, bringing to bear upon its problems an alert and original mind, which was, nevertheless, same in resisting wild and impracticable theories advanced by the members who had never even read the federal constitution. He so impressed the people as to win for himself an election to his present office by a majority of 30,000 votes, although he was opposed by the Hon. F. E. Gillett, a justice of the local United States court, and conceded to be both an able lawyer and an upright judge.

Thus it is that Mr. Hays holds the chief judicial position in his state at an age so youthful as would render him ineligible for election to the presidency, and only two years above the age required of a senator of the United States. Among well known jurists in our history, the only one who attained so high an office so very early was John Jay, who became chief justice of the state of New York in 1777. Jay was made chief justice the same year that New York ceased to be a colony of the crown and became a state, just as Oklahoma has now ceased to be a territory and has acquired statehood.

THREE KILLED AT CROSSING.

PERRY, Ind., Feb. 3.—Alfred Kling, Mrs. Alfred Kling, and the former's brother, Ora Kling, were killed at Bennett's Switch, thirteen miles south of this city, by being run down on the crossing of the Indiana Union Traction line by a Fort Wayne and Indianapolis limited car. The car was speeding at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour at the time of the collision. The three persons were in a carriage inclosed with curtains. The motorman did not see the vehicle until fifty feet away.

### SHARP DROP IN PRICES OF FRUIT

APPLES AND BANANAS GO DOWY MOST THIS MORNING

### CRANBERRIES DOWN \$1 BBL.

Other Prices Remain Stationary Today; Receipts and Sales Nearly Balance Prices

Fruits and produce took a sharp drop in price on the wholesale markets this morning. Apples and bananas declined most.

MONDAY, FEB. 3, 1903.

Fruit, Oysters, Produce.

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Apples, N. Y. Baldwins, bbl. \$3.00 to \$5.00

Apples, choice, .. \$2.50 to 3.00

Apples, Wash. Ben Davis, box \$1.75

Bananas, per bunch, .. \$1.15

Oranges, navel, fancy, box, .. \$1.25

Oranges (choice), box, .. \$1.25

Lemons, 300 sizes, box, .. \$3.50

Lemons, 250 size, box, .. \$3.50

Cranberries, Jerseys, bl \$5.00 to \$9.00

Cranberries, Wis., bbl., \$6.00 to \$7.00

Oysters, select, gal., .. \$1.60

Oysters, standard, gal., .. \$1.25

Oysters, select, per can, .. \$3.25

Oysters, standard, per can, .. \$3.00

Potatoes, per bu., .. \$1.80

Onions, per bu., .. \$1.80

Rutabagas, per bu., .. \$1.40

Cabbage, per bbl., .. \$1.50

Strawberries, per quart, .. \$1.40

Celery, per dozen, .. \$2.00 to \$1.00

Flour.

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barre., .. \$5.80

Straight, per barrel, .. \$5.60

Mill Feed.

Shorts, per ton, .. \$22.00

Brans, per ton, .. \$21.00

White middlings, per ton, .. \$24.00

Red dog, per ton, .. \$26.00

Wheat.

(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)

Winter wheat, .. \$1.80 to \$1.85

Spring wheat, .. \$1.90 to \$2.00

Barley, .. \$1.65 to \$1.70

Oats, .. \$1.40 to \$1.45

Rye, .. \$1.60 to \$1.65

New corn, .. \$1.40 to \$1.45

Old corn, .. \$1.60 to \$1.65

Livestock.

(By Langdon-Bord Packing Co.)

Hogs, .. \$3.75 to \$4.00

Steers, .. \$3.50 to \$4.50

Heifers, .. \$2.00 to \$3.00

Cows, .. \$1.50 to \$2.75

Sheep, .. \$3.00 to \$4.50

Lambs, .. \$4.00 to \$5.00

Poultry.

Old chickens, .. \$6 to 7c

Young chickens, .. 7 to 8c

Turkeys, pound, .. 10 to 12c

Ducks, .. 12 to 15c

Geese, .. 15 to 17c

Provisions.

Lard, per pound, .. 10 to 10 1/2c

Hams, .. 10 to 11c

Shoulders, .. 8 to 8 1/2c

Bacon, .. 12 1/2 to 15 1/2c

Dry beef, .. 15 to 17c

Butter and Eggs.

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound, .. 33c

Dairy, per pound, .. 28 to 30c

Storage eggs, per dozen, .. 16 to 18c

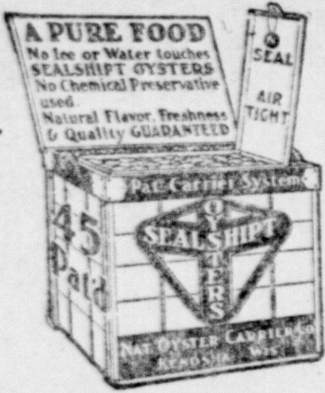
Fresh eggs, per dozen, .. 22c

Eggs, on track, case, .. \$5.70

Vegetables.

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)





## THE SEA TASTE

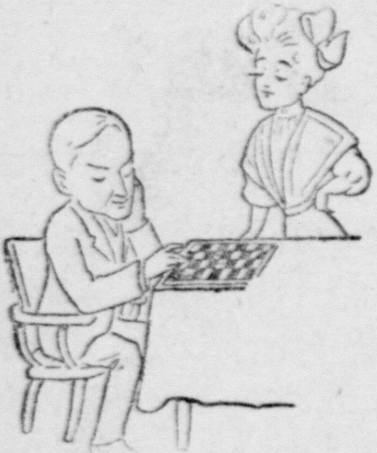
If you want the full, piquant flavor of the choicest oysters, fresh from the cool depths of the ocean, try the delicious

## SEALSHIP OYSTERS

They are taken from the shells, washed quickly and put into a case of pure white enamel, sealed and packed in ice. They are not opened till they reach the dealer. They come out fresh, firm, unbroken and full of the delicious salt-water tang. The secret of their superiority lies in the use of the patent

## SEALSHIP CARRIERS

## JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE



## MAKE A WISE MOVE TODAY BY TRYING

## Nebuer Ginger Ale

The effect it will have will make you try it again and again.

Phone orders filled.

## N. S. BOTTLING WORKS

501-903 ROSE ST. BOTH PHONES

## MRS. FRED RING CROSSES DIVIDE

Mrs. Fred Ring, a resident of La Crosse for nearly fifty years died Saturday evening at the Francis hospital after submitting to an operation for the removal of a tumor. Mrs. Ring has been suffering for the past two months and about three weeks ago she was removed to the hospital and an operation was made as a last resort. After the operation she did not rally and on account of her advanced age and her weakened condition she sank gradually until death relieved her suffering Saturday night.

Mrs. Ring was born in Norway and came to America with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Regnilda Gundjornsen, in 1840. She was married to Fred Ring, now deceased, in 1860, and to them one child was born, who died in infancy. Deceased was a prominent member of the First Baptist church and has always been an earnest worker in that organization. A nephew of Mr. Ring, Fred R. Skidmore, arrived yesterday and will take charge of the body, which will be shipped to Milwaukee for interment, beside her husband.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Spicer, with whom she has made her home for the past few years. The services were held under the auspices of the Eastern Star of which she was a prominent member.

## SCHOOL BOARD TO MEET THIS EVENING

The regular meeting of the board of education will take place this evening in the superintendent's office at the La Crosse high school.

President Luenning said this morning that nothing of importance was expected to be passed upon and that the usual routine of business would come before the board.

## NO MEETING CALLED

No meeting of the soliciting committee of the auditorium for the 1907 Saengerfest has as yet been called for this week, but President Luenning said that a meeting would probably be called, perhaps Wednesday.

Several of the prominent members of the committees have been ill and the meetings have therefore been postponed several times.

The one bore that a thirsty man welcomes is a corkscrew.

"Headache and habitual coffee drinking are closely related."

A clear brain and

## POSTUM

go together.

"THERE'S A REASON."

## CITY NEWS

**MRS. ERNST DEAD**—Mrs. A. Ernst, wife of Prof. Ernst of Northwestern university, Watertown, Wis., is dead at Rochester, Minn., at the age of 58 years. Mrs. Ernst was the mother of Marie Ernst, formerly a teacher of language in the La Crosse high school.

**GIVE SUPPER FOR DELEGATES**—The ladies' aid society of the German Methodist church will give a supper for the delegates to the convention at the church parlors this evening.

**NEGRO DEPORTED**—A negro was taken up by the police this morning and led across the Mississippi bridge. He was a suspicious looking character, but after passing the rigid cross-examination at the central station he was released.

**LEAVE ON SPECIAL TRAIN**—The Lottie Williams company which played at the La Crosse theater last evening, left this afternoon on a special train over the Northwestern road for Des Moines, Ia.

**APPOINT DELEGATES**—A meeting will be held tomorrow evening of the W. A. Northcott Camp, No. 969, when delegates will be elected for the County Camp to be held in La Crosse April 1. At that meeting delegates will be elected to the state camp to be held at Wausau.

**INSPECTOR HERE**—Sir Knight J. C. Duggan, grand inspector of the Knight Templar lodge, is in the city and will hold an inspection of that lodge this evening.

G. B. King of Green Bay was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

C. Lindred of Cochrane was calling on friends in the city over Sunday.

## The Wrong Way

Many Physicians Try to Cure Dyspepsia by Having Their Patients Starve Out the Disease.

This Method May Ruin the Stomach. To become a physician one must study medical literature for a long time and attend several years at a medical college, dissect at least one human body, pass many quizzes and examinations, and at last receive his diploma, which entitles him to the M. D. degree.

Yet all this does not necessarily make a doctor. We have known many graduates, with their sheepskins, who could not apply the knowledge they had acquired to relieving and curing a patient of dyspepsia.

They were floored by their first attempt to cure such a patient. They were not to blame for this, for all the knowledge they acquired from medical works was wholly experimental. They were told to try the following:

Aromatic Ammonia.  
Bicarbonate of Soda.  
Bicarbonate of Potash.  
Blue Mass.  
Camphor Water.  
Catechu.  
Charcoal.  
Creosote.  
Hot Water.  
Lime Water.  
Magnesia.  
Mineral Waters.  
Nitric Acid.  
Nitro-Muriatic Acid.  
Nux Vomica.  
Oil of Amber.  
Oil of Cajuput.  
Rhubarb.  
Senna.  
Spirits of Lavender.  
Starvation.  
Strychnia.  
Sulphur.  
Sulphate of Lime.  
Tincture Cardamon.  
Taraxacum.  
Tincture of Ginger.  
Tincture of Iron.  
Tonics.  
Vegetable Bitters.

In the list hot water is the only remedy that will not do more harm than good, and its use is still an unsolved problem.

If the professor who coaches the graduate would hand him a package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and tell him that it was a specific for dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach ailments, and should be his mainstay in such cases, that one grain of their active principle would digest 3,000 grains of food in the stomach, and that aided by this remedy the stomach would soon regain its normal condition, he would do the student more good than sending him forth with a lot of uncertain knowledge about the cure of these diseased conditions.

The young doctor would gain a reputation by curing his first case of dyspepsia.

The patient cured would sound his praises far and near, as do thousands upon thousands who praise Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Instead of experimenting with the mess of medicine in the above list, and doing his patients more harm than good, he would always be gaining reputation by always curing his patient.

When he met any indication of a diseased organ, he should discover what hundreds of other doctors have, that the whole trouble started with imperfect digestion and assimilation, then take out of his pocket medicine case a few of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and tell the patient how to use them.

The result would be considered by the patient almost miraculous, and success after success would be achieved by him.

Many blood diseases, skin eruptions and heart troubles yield readily to Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they cure the incubating cause—dyspepsia. If the stomach is wrong you are wrong all over.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold everywhere at druggists—50 cents per package.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.



See that the next cough remedy you buy is wrapped like this.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has had thirty-five years of sale and use, and has cured coughs and colds under all conditions, in all countries and climates, and the verdict today is that it has no equal.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. J. J. Christianson of Albert Lea, Minn., is the guest of her brother, H. Gundlach, of 1204 Horton street.

Captain John Parks is reported much better.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Miss Klondike Nelson, deputy register of deeds, was the guest of friends in Minneapolis over Sunday.

Russell James has returned from Minneapolis for a few days' visit with his parents.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call, Phone 179.

Dr. J. K. Fowler has returned from Colorado, where he has been on a business mission.

Mrs. Frank Warren has returned to her home in Warrens Mills after visiting relatives in La Crosse.

O. F. Imnell of Blair is spending a short time in the city with friends.

Thomas Moe of Kenail has returned home after transacting business in La Crosse.

Why get up in the morning feeling blue.

Worry others and worry you: Here's a secret between you and me, Better take Rocky Mountain Tea.

Ask your Druggist.

B. C. Brown has returned to his home in Viroqua after visiting friends about the city.

A. N. Krinten of Jefferson is the guest of his parents in the city this week.

O. T. Laherty of Waterloo is spending a short time in the city on a business mission.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

C. E. Katen of Stevensburg was a business caller in the city last week.

at M. "Chie" of Lak Mills was a business caller in La Crosse last Saturday.

E. H. Powell of Dubuque has returned home after transacting business in the city.

T. Steveling of Viroqua is spending a short time in the city with friends.

T. Zahn of Ripon was calling on business acquaintances in the city today.

G. H. Lindell of Spring Grove is spending a few days in the city with friends.

S. Smith of Sparta was in the city yesterday visiting old acquaintances.

Miss Babie Clayton of Menomonie is the guest of relatives and friends in the city.

If you suffer with indigestion, constipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite, your system is unhealthy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the system strong and healthy. 35c, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

O. G. Porter of Pepin was spending a short time in the city on business last week.

John Druchan of Prairie du Chien is spending a few days in the city on business.

C. L. Grinn of Cassville was the guest of La Crosse friends in the city yesterday.

W. J. Kennedy of Hoosier Falls is in the city for a short visit with friends.

Peter Neuburg and son Edward leave tonight for an extended visit throughout the south.

Dr. Morley Viroqua was the guest of old acquaintances in La Crosse yesterday.

Builds up waste tissue, promotes appetite, improves digestion, induces refreshing sleep, giving renewed strength and health. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35c, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

C. Farmer of Wilton is spending a few days in the city with friends.

H. C. Wilhelm of Portland, Ore., is in the city for a few weeks' visit with relatives.

Earl Fix of Waukesha was calling on business acquaintances in the city last week.

Eyes Examined, Glasses Furnished. All the newest Eye Glass Mountings.

"SURE ON" and "SO EASY" are the latest and best. Broken lenses replaced. No drugs or medicines used in examining eyes.

W. T. IRVINE, Graduate Optician 429 Main St.

# A GOOD NAME

EVERY one desires to establish for himself a good name, but it takes time to win the confidence of your fellow men. Truth and perseverance are the alternate rungs on the ladder of success, and he who reaches the top must make no false step.

There are hundreds of cough medicines with all sorts of names, each claiming to be the best, but the test of time will prove whether or not they have established the right to be called the best.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has had thirty-five years of sale and use, and has cured coughs and colds under all conditions, in all countries and climates, and the verdict today is that it has no equal.

Careful selection of the drugs, intelligent and skillful compounding, the entire absence of opium, chloroform, or any other harmful ingredient, and the absolute purity of every article that goes into its composition, has built up and sustained its good name.

These are the things you should remember, and the next time you want a cough medicine, it is worth while to see that you get Chamberlain's and secure the virtues which a good name implies.

Every dealer who sells a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy guarantees it to give satisfaction or he will refund the money.



Price, 25c. Large size, 50c.

## WOMAN DYING OF EXPOSURE IN WINONA

MINNESOTA CITY WOMAN IS VICTIM OF BLIZZARD

## SHUT IN DUG OUT ALONE

Neighbors Force Opening and Find Old Lady Almost Dead—Strong Wind Rages in City for Day

WINONA, Minn., Feb. 3.—Mrs. Gardner, of Minnesota City, six miles west of here, lies at the point of death because of exposure. She is an aged woman and was unable to open the door of her house, where she lives alone. It was an hour before she was discovered by neighbors.

Winona was the center of a blizzard Saturday. A high wind and zero weather have made travel in the country impossible, and it will be several days before the country people can get through to the city.

Rural mail carriers out of here were able to make only a small part of their routes, coming back with their teams entirely exhausted.

## MOTOR BOAT CLUB TO NAME DIRECTORS

A membership meeting of the La Crosse Motor Boat club will be held at Elks' hall tomorrow evening at 8:30, at which directors for the coming year will be elected. The directors then proceed to the election of directors from their own membership and the new officers take charge of the club's affairs next month.

## SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Louise Schutz, 125 Mill street, was completely surprised by a number of masqueraders Saturday evening when upon returning home from the south side, she found her home occupied by a large number of friends and neighbors in the disguise of "Buster Browns" and other interesting "makeups."

The occasion was in honor of her 54th birthday anniversary. She was the recipient of several useful gifts among which was a pretty dress.

Refreshments were served and all enjoyed the evening very much.

## WHY TOLAND GRADUATES SUCCEED.

Bank of Telluride, Telluride, Colo. Jan. 23, 1908.

Mr. Leigh Toland, La Crosse, Wis. Dear Mr. Toland:—

I have moved from Durango, Colo., and am now in this city with this bank. Have a much better position here and like my work very much. My salary is now \$1600.00 a year, \$400.00 per year more than I received at Durango. Have just returned from a pleasure trip spent at Denver and Colorado Springs.

If this letter reaches you O. K. let me hear from you as I think there will be positions for some more Toland graduates. The west is full of your students and they are getting some mighty big salaries. A letter of commendation from the Toland School goes a long ways in this part of the country.

With kind regards, I am Sincerely yours, ROY VARZAIS.

More than \$1,500,000 annually is the sum received by Toland graduates. Letters like the above are not the exception. They are the rule. We have more than 1000 graduates who are earning from \$1200 to \$5000 per year. Our graduates succeed because we know how to prepare them for business and afterwards give them the proper assistance. Special term begins Feb. 3rd. Enter now, if you can. Toland's Business School, La Crosse, Wis.

It isn't always the man who has acquired the most information who knows the most.

## SOCIETY

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Monday, 7:30. Memory Bible class, Beacon Light Bible class. These classes are open to all young women whether members or not.

The Memory class is learning passages selected by Miss Helen Gould. The Beacon Light class is studying the Gospel of John.

Our new term of work begins this week. Tuesday, Friday, ladies' morning class at 10:30. Tuesday, 7:30. Glee club. If you enjoy singing we will gladly welcome you to this class.

Tuesday, 8 p. m., gymnasium. Basketball at close of lesson.

Thursday, 7:30. English class for foreign speaking girls. At 7:30, an illustrated health talk will be given by Miss Sufficool. You cannot afford to miss this treat.

Friday, 8 p. m., gymnasium. A cooking class will be organized later, time not decided upon.

February 13 a kindergarten and Valentine party will be given for members. Mark these dates on your calendar and keep them free.

## SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Mrs. A. M. Heyerdahl entertained at six o'clock dinner on Saturday and the guests remained for a social evening. Covers were placed for fifteen.

CHOIR PRACTICE. The choir of Christ Episcopal church will meet for practice, Thursday evening of this week.

ANNOUNCEMENT. The Wednesday afternoon 500 club will meet with Mrs. John Palmer on Wednesday instead of Tuesday, which was erroneously announced.

## SIX O'CLOCK DINER

Miss Eleanora Wagner entertained with a six o'clock dinner Sunday evening in honor of the Misses Dunn and Walsh from Portage, Wis. Covers were laid for six. Those present were Mae Dunn, Katherine Walsh, Margaret Paulus, Alice Egan, Mollie Rusche and Eleanora Wagner.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved mother and grandmother. Especially do we wish to thank the Home of the Friendless and Rev. Irish.

W. A. SWEET and Family.

## NOTICE.

Round trip tickets over La Crosse & Onalaska St. Ry. Co.'s Line including coupons good on La Crosse City Ry Co.'s Lines are on sale at Hebbard's Drug Store, corner of 4th and Main Sts. Also at Pierce's grocery store in Onalaska and by motor on Onalaska line at 25c cents round trip.

One hundred brand new ten dollar gold pieces. Can you imagine a prettier sight?—Atlanta Georgian. Yes. Two hundred brand new ten dollar gold pieces.

If we could see ourselves as others see us we would all be pessimists.

One good turn deserves another, but most of us expect five or six.

## SPECIAL!

For 30 days only, commencing Jan. 20th, we will make a special reduction. Suits \$30.00 up, and Skirts \$10.00 up. Special prices on separate coats and jackets. Latest styles and strictly man tailored.

MADAM B. SOULE, 524 Main St.

## DISCOVER SECOND CASSIE CHADWICK



MARY MCKEE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A second edition of Cassie Chadwick and Madam Humbert has been discovered in Mary McKee. She operated successfully upon many rich society men and women, not only in New York, but also in Boston, Washington, Chicago and elsewhere. It is almost unbelievable that this elderly, demure, gray-headed, polished lady should have had a criminal record dating back at least seven years. She served a year in the Cambridge, Mass., house of correction. Her pictures adorn the rogues' gallery of several cities, and her Bertillon measurements form part of the police records of a number of large cities. She made her way into New York society and assisted at a reception tendered in honor of Sir Casper Purdon Clarke, curator of the Metropolitan museum, and lived at fashionable hotels in the city. She is back of several schemes, including the Bungalow Park Land company, the American Touring association, the International Progress club and the Golden Age company. Her principal operations, however, have been in check manipulations and forgeries.

Mary McKee was born in Minneapolis about 50 years ago. She married and had a son and then she came to New York, where her trail is marked by a long list of those from whom she has obtained money.

One good turn deserves another, but most of us expect five or six.

## IRVINE'S.—The Popular Priced Jewelry Store

\$3.25 Set 6 Knives And 6 Forks Rogers

ROGER'S SILVER PLATED KNIVES AND FORKS. The best and most lasting kind to buy. We have sold these goods for over 20 years and have never had a complaint.

\$3.25—Set of 6 Knives and 6 Forks—\$3.25

FANCY HOLLOW HANDLE KNIVES AND FORKS. Very heaviest silver plate. (We have had these goods made up especially for hotel use.) Guaranteed 20 years.

\$7.50 Set 6 Hollow Handle Knives and Forks \$7.50

Sign of the Post Clock W. T. IRVINE 429 Main Street.



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WANTED—Manager to take charge of business in La Crosse, Winona and surrounding territory. Good proposition to right man, if he's a hustler. Address S. A. R., Tribune.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer at Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Young man as porter at Chop Suey House, 125 So. 3rd.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl at 232 So. 8th.

WANTED—Middle aged lady to help keep house. Good home for one who likes children. 413 North Tenth St. Good wages.

WANTED—Lady to share completely furnished centrally located flat. Address L. M., Tribune.

For Sale

FOR SALE—A snap, 5 horse power wood sawing machine. Cheap if taken at once. Enquire 828 South Third street.

FOR SALE—Leaving city, bargain on high grade new piano. Also iron beds, gasoline range and kitchen cupboard. 111 North Twelfth street.

FOR SALE—One Portland cutter, one two-seated cutter and one delivery sleigh, 129 No. 7th.

FOR SALE—Negatives made at Kleist studio, corner 5th and State Sts. Call at once. Penny Gallery, Barron bldg.

FOR SALE—Invalid chair, nearly new, \$15. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Cheap, black horse, 940 lbs; old phone, Re 7211, 4733.

FOR SALE—Reo Touring car, in good condition. Enquire 316 Mill Street.

FOR SALE—One A No. 1 Buffalo coat; cheap. Phone 9851 Old.

FOR SALE—Two nice lots 50x150 each, within easy access of new Normal School Site. Will sell cheap for cash. Address, Z2, Tribune Office.

For Rent

FOR RENT OR SALE—Miller's farm, north of Golf links. An ideal location for a dairy or truck farm. Address, Mrs. J. P. Miller, La Crosse, Wis. Gen. delivery.

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 508 No. 8th.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, city heat, 124 So. 7th.

FOR RENT—Five room flat, \$7.00; 809 Johnson; old phone, 4733.

FOR RENT—16 room hotel, corner George and Gohres St. Frank G. Roth, 4th & Pearl St.

Furniture Repairing

HOUSEHOLD GOODS and Furniture made good as new at reasonable prices. Goods called for and delivered. Second hand goods bought and sold. G. E. Kelberger, 427 Jay St. Old phone, 4751; new, 568M.

Lost

LOST—Carmen bracelet, between Eighth and Tenth on Farnam, initials engraved E. E. Return to 902 Farnam, and received reward.

LOST—Will the lady who picked up large black veil in Park Store entrance, return to Jewelry Department of Park Store.

LOST—Gold brooch, pinned on black tie. Finder please return to Tribune and receive reward.

Abstracting

CALL at the Register of Deeds' Office where all Records are kept up-to-date. F. H. Alken, Register.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Miscellaneous

GASOLINE WOOD SAWING—Frank Bendel, 1234 Park Ave., 3921, old phone.

MEALS—By the day or week, 205 So. 7th.

WANTED—Teams, Arctic Ice and Fuel Co. Redfield, between 12th and 13th, 7 a. m. tomorrow morning.

WANTED—1000 men, women and children for 1000 swell positions. \$1.00 a dozen. De Luxe Studio, over Lyric Theatre, Main street.

GASOLINE WOOD SAWING—J. E. Alexander, 915 South Fifth street. Old Phone, 3095.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms in modern house for light housekeeping. Address M., Tribune.

WANTED—Small house with six or eight rooms, not far from Public Library. Address K, this office.

SHOE REPAIRING—To be done neatly and work guaranteed. Please call at Nels P. Wexsath, 215 No. 3rd St., La Crosse, Wis.

BUY yourself a permanent job, by investing in one of the 60 farms we have for sale in La Crosse, Jackson and Monroe counties. Write for list and prices. Gilbertson Land Co., Melrose, Wis.

WANTED—To exchange Vivitor 10 & 12 in records, excellent selections. All condition. Send your list. Mine will follow. Address A. B., Tribune.

WANTED—To buy a good house and lot on monthly or annual payments. Address "G," Tribune.

Dentist

DR. E. E. BURRITT, formerly with Dr. J. R. Foster, and now located at 133 South Fourth street. Using same air in extracting. Old Phone.

Insurance

GENERAL INSURANCE—Fire, Life, Accident, Liability, Plate Glass, Burglary, Sprinkler Leakage, Bond. C. S. Van Auker, No. 328 Pearl st.

Found

FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.

Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds and valuables bought. Stevens, 209 McMillan.

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

FICTION AND FACT

In a magazine:  
"I don't like you any more."  
Harold Hoplite looked up at the quaint figure—a boy of six, with a mouth smeared with huckleberry pie.  
Harold was glum.  
"I don't like you any more."  
"Why?"  
"Cause you made sister cry."  
"Ethel cry? I didn't—I couldn't make her cry."  
"Well, she's crying now when you said nothing when you walked away. Why didn't you say by-by and kiss her when you're going away? I always do."  
"I will! Right now!"  
And Harold hastened back to make up the lovers' quarrel.  
In real life:  
"Say, sister gave me a piece of pie to come down and see if you'd gone and if you hadn't to try to get you back past where she was sitting on the porch getting ready to be crying."  
"Oh!"—New York American.

We once found a \$5 bill and still remember how recklessly we squandered it. Come easy, go easy.

Anyone who thinks that truth is stranger than fiction should read a 10-cent detective story.

NEARBY CITIES TOWNS AND FARMS

VIROQUA, WIS.

Mrs. Thos. Weavil is improving in health after several weeks' illness.

Peter Johnson, aged about 82, died at Springville on Tuesday. The funeral was held Thursday at the West Coon Prairie church and the services were conducted by Rev. Smeby.

Silas Foster has been confined to the house this week with the grippe.

Sheriff Abner Silbaugh made a La Crosse trip on Wednesday.

William Morris, brother of Mrs. August Smith, expired in Milwaukee last Sunday morning while attending church. Mr. Morris has made several lengthy visits at Viroqua and has many acquaintances among the older people.

C. C. Brown had a painful accident yesterday while assisting in moving a piano. In some manner the attachment used in lifting the piano slipped, allowing the weight to partially rest on his left hand. It bruised his whole hand considerably and especially his little finger.

The seven months child of Mr. and Mrs. John Eggle died Wednesday and the funeral will be held at the home next Saturday at 12 o'clock. Interment at the Belgium Ridge cemetery. Services conducted by Rev. Smeby.

The Young People's meeting at the Synod parsonage Wednesday evening was, as usual, a pleasant gathering. Receipts \$7.00.

J. O. Fortney is preparing timbers for a new barn to be erected next spring.

Miss Anna Neprud, of Westby, was a Viroqua shopper on Wednesday.

HOMER, MINN.

A number of persons in this vicinity are suffering from hard colds.

Mrs. Loren Tainter has been entertaining her sister from Winona.

Wm. Martin is the first one in the village to have his ice house filled.

E. M. Kimble has a crew of men cutting cordwood, on the island opposite Homer.

Charles Greene's cow wandered away from home Saturday afternoon, and he was unable to find her until Monday. She was nearly frozen from being unsheltered, such a blistery night as Sunday night was.

Mrs. W. D. Nash spent Wednesday with relatives in Winona.

F. L. Tainter is sawing wood in Pleasant Valley at present.

Mrs. Garringer lost one of her horses Saturday night.

Cherry Grove camp No. 2036, R. N. A., held their regular meeting on Saturday evening. Two new members were taken in. After the business session, a social time was enjoyed, followed by an oyster supper.

DRESBACH, MINN.

Miss Maude Johnston left Monday morning for St. Paul, where she will visit relatives.

Miller Bros. are sawing lumber at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Helsaple and son Cecil are visiting relatives in town.

Robert Dickson and Harry Weiss are packing ice this week.

Mr. Castle of La Crosse is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. Kemp.

Henry Waldenberger is at the St. Francis hospital at La Crosse, Wis., where he underwent an operation.

A dancing party was given in honor of Miss Christine Bordes, of Ableman, Wis., at the home of John Nagle, Jr., Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Edw. Maynard, Jr., of Owen, Wis., is visiting relatives in Dresbach.

Mrs. Fred Buerek is on the sick list.

Miss Anna Fairfield left for Minneapolis Tuesday morning to attend the wedding of Miss Nellie Kenney.

John Glenn is building a new barn.

Maurice Kramer returned from Winona Wednesday with a large gray horse which he purchased of John Huffner of Winona.

Thomas Bordes and family of Ableman, Wis., who have been visiting relatives on the ridge the past week, returned home Friday.

Miss Susie Johnston is visiting friends in La Crosse.

Miss Blanche Bright of Trempealeau, Wis., visited relatives in town the fore part of last week.

Miss Anna Kramer who has been visiting relatives in La Crosse, returned home Tuesday.

Henry Waldenberger, who recently sold his farm in Lanes Valley to Theo. Eden, has rented the Finn farm in Pine Creek and will move there in the spring.

A Loeffler of Brownsville has purchased a horse of Zisch Bros.

H. Travekl of Winona was a caller in Dresbach Thursday.

Miss Lena Caskill, who has been visiting at Rib Lake, Wis., returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaskill of La Crosse have moved to Dresbach.

Tom and Ben Deaman went to Winona Friday to purchase a team of horses.

Gilbert Johnson, the local poultry man, will soon establish a saw mill in addition to his hennery at this place.

Miss Mayme Wagner of Red Wing is visiting friends in Dresbach.

LANSING, IOWA

Miss Linda Brenney entertained a number of young folks at her home Wednesday evening in honor of her sixteenth birthday anniversary.

A. E. Olander of Center Township an old resident 62 years of age, died at his home while calmly reposing in a chair. The funeral took place on Thursday from the Swedish Baptist church. He leaves a family, two sons, being at Minot, N. D.

Electric lights have been installed in Mrs. Metcalf's millinery parlors.

Miss Louisa Ios has returned to Oshkosh, Wis., after a most enjoyable visit with home folks.

Gus Lippert has gone to Berlin, N.

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In every walk of life

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the "want" pages are

the market place. The highest grade salesman, the most skilled mechanic, the best in their respective class, put their message in Tribune wants. When you want to find the best the market affords look to The Tribune's want pages.

PLAYS FUNNY ON WAY TO PRISON FOR LIFE

BEMIDJI, Minn., Feb. 3.—Morton S. Munn, whose sentence of death for the murder of August Franklin at Baudette last June was recently commuted to life imprisonment, has been taken from his cell in the Beltrami county jail and accompanied by Sheriff Bailey and Deputy Andrew Johnson, has started for Stillwater to begin the life of a convict, and to lose his identity among the many others who have gone behind the grim walls.

Munn was cheerful, and laughed and joked with those about him, especially with Rev. S. E. P. White, the local Presbyterian pastor, who has been a tower of strength to Munn during the trying ordeal which he passed while in suspense awaiting the final action of the state pardoning board.

Life in the cell at the Beltrami county jail has had no bad effect on Munn's health; in fact, he is physically as well as when he entered the jail previous to his trial last June.

THOMAS & ENDER'S NEW OFFICES

Thomas and Ender, the tinmiths and corrugated roof men, who recently opened an establishment on North Third street, have just completed the installation of elaborate new office rooms which for the style of their establishment are without a doubt among the finest in the vicinity.

Mahogany finish fixtures with art glass and a roof of corrugated ceiling work are among the effects of the office.

A catalogue department is also to be installed.

Scribblers—"Yes; my friend from Chicago uses a pen name." Scrawler—"What is he, an author or a pork-packer?"

You might have more particular friends if they were less particular.

REJECTS EDITOR AS PARTNER FOR LIFE

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 3.—Miss Elizabeth Sohn, editress of the Storm Lake Vidette, has formally declined the offer of G. A. Craig of the Lytton Star, to take a partnership through matrimony in her weekly publication.

"I can cook and I can darn all right, and I am not afraid at all that Mr. Craig can't damn properly, or improperly, but he won't fill the bill, so the vacancy in my office still exists, and the offer is open if the right man comes along," said Miss Sohn over the telephone the other night.

Her paper was issued and in it is published a forceful refusal to the bachelor editor of the Lytton Star.

The great trouble with the matrimonial knot seems to be that it won't stay tied.

By the size of a man's hat in the world may have something to do with size of his crown in the next.

"Just A Souvenir, Mr. Foraker"

THE MARBLE HEART

SENATOR FORAKER TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

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# REITZEL'S 409-11-13 MAIN ST. LA CROSSE, WIS.



## RED TAG SALE

The success of our Red Tag Sale has tempted us to continue it another week—We have some broken lots that we do not care to carry over the season. First come, first served at your own price on these to clean them up.

NOW is the opportune time to buy the needed Dress Goods, Silks, White Goods, Hosiery and Laces. Nothing in our stock reserved during this Sale.

### SILKS

Poulards, plads figured and plain colored, Louise silks, values up to \$1.00, sale price per yard . . . . . 68c

Plain taffeta in all shades, regular 75c value, sale price per yard . . . . . 65c

All our plain and figured crepe de chine that formerly sold at 69c, sale price, yard . . . . . 49c

Black taffeta wear, guaranteed regular \$1.29 value, sale price per yard . . . . . 98c

36 in. black chiffon taffeta wear guaranteed regular \$1.50 value, sale price per yard . . . . . \$1.09

We have Belding satin in all the leading shades, wear guaranteed for two seasons, at per yard . . . . . \$1.00

### DRESS GOODS

38 in. striped, checked and mixed suitings, values up to 65c, sale price per yard . . . . . 49c

All our mixed checked and striped suitings that formerly sold at \$1.00, sale price per yard . . . . . 79c

All our plain and mixed dress goods that formerly sold at \$1.25, sale price per yard . . . . . 98c

All our fancy suitings that formerly sold at \$1.50, sale price per yard . . . . . \$1.29

Imported striped and plaid suitings, always sold at \$1.75, sale price per yard . . . . . \$1.39

All wool panama and batiste, regular 65c value, sale price per yard . . . . . 50c

Bargains in remnants of wool dress goods from 1 1/2 to 6 yard lengths.

### LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

A very choice line of linen torchon laces, values up to 10c, sale price per yard . . . . . 5c  
Cambric embroidery edges and insertions, values up to 19c, sale price per yard . . . . . 10c  
Special reduction on all hand bags and belts. White embroidered swiss, values up to 50c, sale price per yard . . . . . 29c

### TABLE LINENS

Extra heavy unbleached table linen, regular 69c value, sale price per yard . . . . . 59c  
72 in. unbleached table linen, regular \$1.00 value, sale price per yard . . . . . 79c  
72 in. bleached table linen, regular \$1.25 value, sale price per yard . . . . . 98c  
All table linen and bedspreads, towels and towelings at reduced prices.

### HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR

Gents' fancy hose, regular 15c values, sale price per yard . . . . . 10c  
Gents' fancy hose, regular 25c values, sale price per yard . . . . . 19c  
Children's fleece lined hose always sold at 19c, sale price per pair . . . . . 12c  
Children's extra heavy ribbed fleece lined hose, always sold at 25c, sale price pair . . . . . 19c  
Ladies' wool and fleece lined hose, values up to 75c, sale price per pair . . . . . 39c  
Ladies' long sleeve vests and drawers, regular 25c values, sale price . . . . . 15c  
One lot of ladies' heavy fleece lined union suits in broken sizes, values up to \$1.00, sale price . . . . . 69c  
Broken sizes in ladies' wool vests and drawers, values up to \$1.25, sale price each . . . . . 89c

## KARL G. KURTENACKER

## HALF PRICE CLEAN SWEEP SALE LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS ON SALE THIS WEEK AT HALF PRICE



\$10.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$5.00
\$15.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$7.50
\$20.00 Ladies' Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$10.00
\$6.50 Children's Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$3.25
\$7.50 Children's Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$3.75
\$10.00 Children's Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	\$5.00
\$1.75 Children's Eiderdown Cloaks, Clean Sweep Sale at	98c

Clean Sweep Sale on Skirts, Petticoats, Waists, Bath Robes, Kimonas, Dressing Sacques, Muslin Underwear, Children's Dresses, etc.

"NOVENT" PETTICOATS ARE GREAT PETTICOATS. WE HAVE THEM AT UP FROM . . . . . \$1.00

## I. B. KNUTESSEN

### MYSTERIES CLEARED BY BIGAMY ARREST

TONY, Wis., (Special).—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Culver Thurber, a well known Rusk county wrestler and boxer who left a wife and children here

three years ago, is apparently cleared up by the arrest in Canada of a man answering Culver's description on the charge of bigamy. It is expected that the dominion government will send to this place for information.

Try a Tribune want ad and get results.

EAU CLAIRE—Gov. Davidson has sent word that he would not immediately take action on the appointment of a member to the board of normal regents. The Commercial association has recommended Emmet Horan of Eau Claire for the position.

## WISCONSIN NEWS

### "MILLIONAIRE" TO GET GOOD DUCKING

KIMBERLY PEOPLE AROUSED AT MILWAUKEE ADVENTURER

### PRETENDED HE WAS WEALTHY

And Wooed a Paper Mill Girl—Has a Wife in Milwaukee From Whom He Seeks a Divorce

APPLETON, Wis., Feb. 3.—"Sir Walter Scott Palmer," who has represented himself to be a descendant of Sir Walter Scott and a wealthy man, and whose marriage with Barbara Klemmer, a romance loving farmer's daughter employed in the Kimberly paper mills, was stopped by information concerning a former marriage, it is believed here, does not intend to discontinue his attentions to the girl, even though his engagement gained him notoriety.

Both Went to Milwaukee. Both arrived in Appleton Friday night and drove directly to the Klemmer home, a few miles from Kimberly. It is said that the girl returned with him, and that she introduced Palmer as her future husband to a clerk in an Appleton store. It is said that the couple left Appleton for Milwaukee. The girl is said to have told relatives that they were going to Milwaukee to buy her wedding outfit. A brother of the girl said last night he feared the couple had eloped.

Residents of Kimberly Aroused. Friends of Miss Klemmer were aroused by the disclosures and it was arranged that if Palmer came to Kimberly the word would be passed and he would be caught and ducked in the river.

Palmer did not come to Kimberly as expected, however, driving directly to the Klemmer home.

Relatives of Miss Klemmer will say little about the affair and it is supposed that she may be still in ignorance of the fact that Palmer has a wife in Milwaukee.

### Is Angry at Mrs. Palmer.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 3.—Scott Palmer, 1100 First street, returned to his home about 6 o'clock Saturday night. He left at 8 o'clock, but he said that he would return. He said nothing about having brought Miss Klemmer to Milwaukee.

It is said that since his return he has told his wife that he will seek a divorce.

Mrs. Palmer would say nothing about the affair, saying that her husband had upbraided her for getting the story in the papers.

Mr. Palmer was here, but he is gone again. I don't know where he is, but I expect that he will be back soon. I know nothing about his bringing a girl with him from Appleton, she said.

### ODD FELLOWS BLDG. BURNS AT GREEN BAY

GREEN BAY, Wis., Feb. 3.—Fire did \$1,000 damage to the building owned by the Green Bay lodge of Odd Fellows late Sunday. The rear of the building was gutted by the flames. The regalia belonging to the Odd Fellows, Rebeccas, National Protective association and other lodges was destroyed in the fire. Firemen rescued Mrs. H. M. Thompson and child from the building after they were overcome by smoke. They were locked in their apartments.

### CHASES THIEF A MILE

RACINE, Wis., Feb. 3.—Joseph Tucker, former superintendent of the Taylor Orphan asylum, has been troubled with thieves stealing wood and chickens. Watching his coop he saw a young man enter. In a moment he was there, and there was a wrestling match. The man broke through the door and ran. Mr. Tucker was after him and a pretty race for a mile ensued. Mr. Tucker won. The man he captured is Fred Hanson, 18 years old, who has been singing and playing in local playhouses. Hanson was arrested on a charge of chicken stealing.

### CUT THIS OUT AND SAVE IT.

So Many People Here Can Be Cured of Stomach Troubles by Taking This Simple Mixture.

There are so many people who suffer from stomach troubles that the following mixture will be highly appreciated by them.

Get from any drug store one ounce Compound Tincture of Cinchona; one ounce Compound Tincture of Peppermint; and half a pint of good Sherry Wine. Mix these together and take a teaspoonful in a little water before meals and at bed time.

Stomach specialists claim that indigestion and dyspepsia are caused by the failure of the gastric juices to do their work. We overload our stomachs giving them more to do than they are capable of, the consequences are the undigested food lies in the stomach and becomes sour, creating indigestion and dyspepsia.

The Compound Tincture in the above mixture supplies the stomach with artificial gastric juice and digests the food that your stomach refuses to take care of. This digestive compound is put up only by the Cooper Pharmaceutical Company, Chicago, and can be taken alone in three to five drop doses in a little water, but preferably in the above mixture as the Cinchona and wine make an excellent tonic.

If you suffer with stomach troubles try this mixture, if not, cut this out and hand it to some friend.

### POURS GASOLINE ON FIRE; IS DEAD

DOMESTIC TRIES TO URGE A SLOW-GOING FIRE

### FLUID THROWN OVER HER

Rushes to Bedroom of Employer and He is Seriously Burned Trying to Extinguish Flames

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., Feb. 3.—Miss Martha Grossman, 19 years of age, a domestic at the home of Dr. Charles Pomerville, a well-known physician, was fatally burned, the doctor himself was so severely burned that he is now in a critical condition, and his wife was severely burned as the result of the action of the domestic in pouring gasoline into the kitchen stove to make the fire burn better.

Miss Grossman arose at 6 o'clock to get breakfast. She started a fire in the kitchen stove, and finding that it did not burn well, took a can of gasoline and started to pour the deadly liquid on the fire. With a roar the gasoline exploded, the bottom of the can being blown off. The escaping liquid was thrown upon the girl's clothes, saturating them so that the flames immediately caught them and burned fiercely.

### Run's to Employer's Room.

Shrieking with pain, the girl ran to the room of Dr. and Mrs. Pomerville and aroused them. The doctor sprang out of bed and tried to smother the flames by throwing bedclothes over the girl. His attempt was futile, as the clothes caught fire. Meanwhile Mrs. Pomerville tried to assist in the work and suffered severe burns.

Despairing of being able to put the fire out in this manner the doctor carried the girl outdoors and roller her in the snow until the flames were extinguished. By this time, however, the injuries were such that recovery was impossible. Her whole body was frightfully seared and her features were swollen and disfigured. Unable, because of his own injuries, to do anything to alleviate hers, the doctor and his wife in their bare feet carried her to the house of the doctor's mother, Mrs. Caroline Pomerville, two blocks distant, where she was attended by another physician. All attempts to save her life were fruitless, however, and she died at 10:30 o'clock.

### CHICAGO GETS CREAM OF BADGER DAIRYMEN

WAUKESHA, Wis., Feb. 3.—The recent trouble between the Waukesha milk shippers and their Milwaukee customers has given Chicago dealers an opening in the local market. Eighty cans of milk and cream were shipped yesterday to Chicago from the Wisconsin General' depots here and at Vernon, and shipments have been going on steadily since the trouble started.

### DOG SAVES FAMILY

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 3.—Mrs. James Lynch and family had a narrow escape from a horrible death. The dog aroused her from her sleep by barking. She smelled smoke and found that the kitchen was in flames. With great presence of mind she secured buckets of water and blankets and succeeded in putting out the blaze. Mrs. Lynch received but a few slight burns.

### STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

BELOIT—W. E. Stevens and his son Lee have gone to Night Hawk, Wash., where Mr. Stevens will take charge of the construction of a 200-ton mill for the Night Hawk Mining company, of which he is president.

EAU CLAIRE—Lang & McNulty have completed the plans and specifications for the projected bridge and dam at Shawtown. The cost will approximate \$45,000.

FORT ATKINSON—J. C. Brandel, a member of the Brandel Shoe company, has announced himself as a candidate for city treasurer on the democratic ticket. Br. Brandel ran for the office two years ago and was defeated.

FOND DU LAC—Burglars pried open a rear door of the Fair store and smashed the cash register, securing a lot of small change. Watch chains, stick pins, razors and cheap watches were also stolen.

FOND DU LAC—Although Dr. L. J. Rhodes has been dead for over a month, he has been granted a patent upon a moving bracket within the last week.

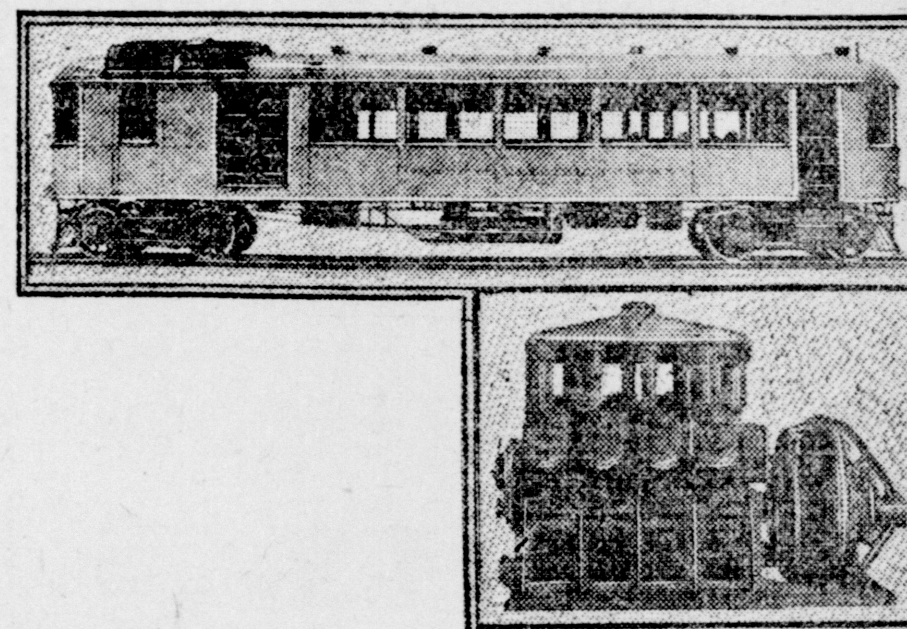
FOND DU LAC—The whereabouts of Michael Gardner are being anxiously sought by his brother, Patrick W. Gardner.

MANITOWOC—A string of cars collided with a team and wagon, killing one horse and throwing the driver, Frank Novak, under the wheels of the train. He escaped death by the sudden stopping of the switch engine when his head was but six inches from the wheels.

MARINETTE—Policeman Chas. Erickson has been arrested on a warrant charging him with a statutory crime.

NEENAH—At the quarterly meeting of the Wisconsin Millers' association the principal subject discussed was "The Wisconsin Feed Stuff Law," which went into effect on Jan. 1. S. R. Willy of Appleton, president of the association, also gave a short address touching on subjects of interest to millers. The

## NEW TYPE OF GASOLINE CAR A SUCCESS



Gas-electric car and engine which is being successfully tried on the Delaware & Hudson railroad.

JHENECTADY, N. Y., Feb. 3.—An official test was made today in the presence of a party of officials of the Delaware & Hudson company and the American Locomotive company of the new gas-electric car, which is expected to revolutionize railroading on short lines. The car was especially designed and constructed by the General Electric company for steam railroad work for the Delaware & Hudson company. After the test today the Delaware & Hudson officials expressed themselves as highly pleased with the new engine, which also proved more than satisfactory to the designers and builders. It will be used by the Delaware & Hudson company on several of its branch roads.

The car started from this city at 11 o'clock, going over the Delaware & Hudson railroad to Delanson, thence over the Susquehanna branch to Albany, thence to Troy, and finally returning to this city by way of Mechanicville. The machinery had a thorough trial on all kinds of grades and curves and behaved magnificently. A speed of 60 miles an hour was made and at times a much greater speed was hit up.

This new type of gas-electric car takes the place of steam engines and trains on short line work. It combines in one the power house, transmission lines, sub-stations and all the benefits of electric traction without the costly and cumbersome features of the trolley.

A powerful gas engine, the most powerful of its kind ever built, drives an electric generator. The circuit obtained in this way supplies power to the motors which drive the car. The shape of the ends of the car is parabolic in order to reduce the air resistance to a minimum when traveling at high speed. The exterior is of steel plate and the interior finished with selected Mexican mahogany. The interior is lighted with electric lights, and storage batteries keep the lights burning when the engine is not running. The main feature of the car is its power equipment. The eight-cylinder gas engine develops 150 horse-power and is coupled to a 120-horse-power direct current generator.

The test today demonstrated that the gas electric engine is destined to be an important factor in railroad work. Those branch lines of railroad which can support only one train a day during the greater part of year, owing to the heavy cost of steam traction, can by means of the gas electric car have two or more trains a day.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CALENDER

Wednesday, 4 p. m.—Children's probationers' class.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting. Topic: "Ten Nights with Methodist Doctrine." Sixth doctrine, "I believe that all who receive forgiveness of sins are at the same time made new creatures in Christ Jesus."

Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—Adult probationers' class.

Friday, 3 p. m.—The W. F. M. S. meets at the church parlors. Please come prepared to pay quarterly dues.

Friday, 7:30 p. m.—The Standard Bearers will meet with Mrs. J. S. Colman, 1319 State street.

Next Sunday evening the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Three Questions Concerning Man: Thence, What, Whither? The first sermon will examine the origin of man in the light of evolution and the bible.

Special Announcements. The next free supper will be given by the Ladies' Aid society on Friday, Feb. 14.

### COUGHLIN, SOPRANO, CANNOT BE FOUND

Little Ambrose Coughlin, the well known boy soprano, has been missing since this morning and no clue is known as to his whereabouts. The parents have hopes of locating the lad before tonight, although at 3 o'clock nothing new had developed as to where he may be. Ambrose is a bright young fellow and was not in the habit of staying away from home for any length of time, or even leaving the residence without letting his parent know. He went to the St. James school at about 8:30 this morning and was last seen playing with a few boy friends on the school grounds. It was thought for a while that the boy had gone to the home of some relatives and would soon come home or let the parents know of his whereabouts but the relatives were telephoned to without success. Searching parties are looking for the lost boy and will undoubtedly find him before morning. The boy's home is at 1430 Wood street.

### DYNAMITING MYSTERY REMAINS UNSOLVED

BIWABIK, Minn., Feb. 3.—With only two detectives remaining on duty, it is the general opinion that the mining companies have given up the idea that they can solve the mystery surrounding the dynamiting of the dwelling of Capt. T. J. Nicholas at the Mohawk location Monday, Jan. 20. For a number of days there were many detectives on the ground, representing different companies, but gradually these have been called in. The sleuths admitted that they were unable to discover the guilty parties and they say that it is doubtful if they will ever be discovered. J. A. Jones, the socialist who was placed in jail on suspicion, says that he will sue the village of Aurora.

When a fellow begs a girl for a kiss and is turned down it naturally makes him peevish to see the way she slobbers over a five weeks' old baby.

In spite of the bible it may be easier to serve two masters than to master two servants.

You are apt to catch a beastly cold when it is raining dogs and cats.

## TOOTHACHE

is one of the hardest pains to bear and in most cases all toothache and trouble with teeth can be avoided if you consult

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